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NO CHANGE REPORTED IN BORDER SITUATION

District In Northern Korea Shelled

Tokyo, August 4.

There is no change in the situation according to information reaching Tokyo this morning, which states that Soviet troops consisting of a frontier sharpshooter division and a mechanised brigade, is moving southwards from Novokiersk.

According to a War Office communique issued at 1.35 p.m. today the border situation is apparently becoming quiet and no Soviet planes appeared over the border region up to 11.30 this morning.

Kojo, a district in northern Korea, about 30 kilometres from the mouth of the Tumen River, was shelled by Soviet howitzers at about 10 p.m. on Wednesday.

Prince Konoye (Premier), Gen. Ugaki (Foreign Minister), and Mr. S. Ikeda (Finance Minister) conferred this afternoon regarding the border situation.

Prince Konoye reported to the Throne his interview with Ministers of the fighting services on Wednesday while General Ugaki explained the development in the diplomatic negotiations.

Prior to the three-Minister conference, a meeting of Cabinet counsellors was held this morning when there was an exchange of views regarding the border incidents. Prince Konoye, General Ugaki and Mr. Ikeda were also present.—(Reuter).

CHANGKUFENG RETAKEN

Moscow, Aug. 4.

Changkufeng was recaptured by Soviet troops early yesterday, according to an official communique.

The headquarters of the Japanese Kwantung Army immediately dispatched a large force of crack Japanese troops to the Soviet-Manchukuo border in preparation for a major clash.—(International).

OFFICIAL RETICENCE

Hankow, Aug. 4.

Chinese official circles remain reticent on the Soviet-Manchukuo border incident, although the development of the incident is being closely watched.

However, semi-official circles believe that if the present Soviet-Japanese conflict develops into a major war it would be a drastic blow to the Japanese plan of military aggression in China.

They pointed out that China should not relax her determination to resist but redouble her efforts to struggle for the final victory.—(International).

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POLAND AND RECOGNITION OF MANCHUKUO

CHINA PERTURBED

Hankow, August 4.

Dr. Chu Chia-hua, Chinese Vice-Chairman of the World League of Nations Union, has sent a telegram to the Polish branch of the organization at Warsaw pointing out the undesirable consequences which would inevitably arise if Poland recognized the puppet regime of Manchukuo.

Dr. Chu was greatly pertubed by press reports that the Polish Government is contemplating the extension of recognition to the Manchurian bogus government. His telegram, addressed to the Chairman of the Polish League of Nations Union, asked that efforts be made in dissuading the Warsaw Government from carrying out their alleged decision.

"For the sake of maintaining the amiable relations between the Chinese and Polish peoples," Dr Chu said, "we urge that the Polish Government be strongly advised not to take such a step."—(Central News).

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LETTERS FOR THE KING BY AIR MAIL

Sydney, August 4.

Letters for the King from Lord Huntingfield, acting Governor of Australia, and the Prime Minister, Mr. J. A. Lyons, were handed to the pilot of the Imperial Airways flying boat Camilla which inaugurated the bi-weekly service between Australia and England.—(Reuter Bulletin).

"I WANT TO GO WITH MUMMY"

"I want to go with mummy," cried Princess Alexandra as she watched her parents, the Duke and Duchess of Kent, leave their London home for Rumania to attend the funeral of Queen Marie. Her brother, Prince Edward, doesn't seem quite sure whether to cry or not.

WAR MINISTER

General S. Itagaki the Japanese War Minister.

Torrential Rains In Berlin

Berlin, August 4.

After days of most oppressive weather, torrential rains fell here yesterday afternoon, accompanied by lightning, which brought the trams in several parts of the city to a standstill causing traffic dislocations lasting several hours.

In the suburb of Schoeneberg lightning demolished a garage wall. In some parts the water could not escape quickly enough and rose over motor car axles. Many cellars were flooded and numerous trees uprooted.—(Transocean).

NEW JAPANESE PLANE CARRIER IN SOUTH

According to a Canton military source, the Japanese aircraft carrier which arrived in Kwangtung waters a few days ago is now anchored near the Manshan Islands.

The carrier is of a small type and carries about 16 to 17 seaplanes. Two destroyers are protecting it. It is believed to be one of two aircraft carriers which were built not long ago.

Tripartite Trade Talks Suspended

Shanghai, August 4.

Negotiations in Berlin since early this year for a tripartite trade agreement between Japan, Germany and the puppet Manchukuo have been suspended as a result of the Soviet border clashes.

Some minor points had been reach during the protracted negotiations but the main lines remain uncertain. No probable date for signature was specified even before the Changkufeng affair.

The original plan was to conclude two pacts, one between Germany and "Manchukuo." The general principle of both agreements is to maintain the present ratio of exports between the signatories as a basis, but at the same time to provide for a large additional exchange of goods on a reciprocal or barter basis.—(International).

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London Silver Market

(Our Own Correspondent)

London, August 4.

London silver prices today were up 1/16 as follows:—

	Aug. 3.	Aug. 4.
Spot	19-7/16	19-1/2
Forward	19-5/16	19-3/8

JAPANESE DECLARATION REBUKED BY CHINESE SPOKESMAN

Mobilisation Of Wuhan Is Explained

PLAN IS NON-MILITARY

Hankow, August 4.

A spokesman of the Wuhan Garrison Headquarters scathingly rebuked the Japanese army's recent declaration that as the populace of Wuhan has now been mobilised and automatically become combatants, the Japanese air force may henceforth indulge in indiscriminate bombing of the place.

As a matter of universal knowledge, the spokesman pointed out, the Japanese air force, since the beginning of the present war, has never made the slightest pretention to distinguish between combatants and non-combatants.

Unfortified cities were freely attacked from the air, and defenceless people, including women and children and even foreigners, were indiscriminately bombed and strafed.

It was sheer mockery, therefore, that the Japanese authorities should further look for an excuse for more horrible massacres from the air.

The spokesman emphasised that the mobilisation of the civilian populace of Wuhan is entirely non-military, with its activities confined to such phases as the scattering of refugees, the maintenance of public safety, and the relief of war wounded.

Such people, the spokesman declared, cannot be regarded as combatants any more than doctors, first aid corps and relief workers can be, who were nevertheless made victims of numerous Japanese air attacks before.

The fact is, the spokesman added, that Japan's wanton killing and destruction of civilian lives and properties has been so long outlawed by international opinion that no amount of excuse or explanation would justify their further wanton activities.—(Central News).

Hankow Will Be Stoutly Defended

Hankow, August 4.

There is every indication that the Chinese are determined to put up the strongest resistance in the event of the Japanese attack on Nanchang, judging by the general spirit of the Chinese defenders and the nature of the terrain the attackers must penetrate and the preparations made to defend the area.

This impression was gained by Reuter's correspondent who spent four days visiting the Chinese lines in the vital Tehan and Mahuiling sectors on the Kiukiang-Nanchang Railway.—(Reuter).

Republicans Continue To Advance

Barcelona, August 4.

A communique issued by the Republican War Ministry last night stated that all the attacks on the Ebro front were repulsed. On the Levant front, the Republican troops continued their advance, begun on Tuesday, capturing Altomorro Callada and other enemy positions.

On the Madrid front, a Nationalist surprise attack in the Peregrinos sector was frustrated. Nationalist planes dropped bombs on a red-cross train on the Catalonian coast on Tuesday and also bombarded Tarragona.—(Transocean).

NATIONALIST CLAIM.

Salamanca, August 4.

A Nationalist headquarters' bulletin issued last night reports that the Republican troops continued to launch violent attacks on the Ebro front throughout the day but were repulsed.

On the Teruel front the Nationalist cavalry repelled an attack in the Gualadaviar sector where the Republican losses were also considerable.—(Transocean).

Another Junk Outrage

CREW KIDNAPPED

Foochow, August 4.

Two Chinese junks were stopped and pilliaged and the crew kidnapped by a Japanese naval vessel off the mouth of the Min River on August 2. After ransacking the boats, they set them on fire.

The number of Japanese naval ships off the Fukien coast has decreased considerably in the last few days. At Amoy and Kimoi, only three cruisers, three gunboats and about ten smaller craft with a score of steam launches are seen about.—(Central News).

Shortage Of Kwangtung Currency

NOTE CIRCULATION INCREASED

Canton, August 4.

Owing to the shortage of Kwangtung currency due to the recent extenuated tendency to hoard Canton money, the Kwangtung Provincial Bank has been authorised by the Minister for Finance to increase the note circulation by $5,0000,000.

Mr. Y. C. Koo, President of the Kwangtung Provincial Bank, pointed out that the value of Kwangtung currency against the National dollar has been enhanced as a result of the shortage and the additional currency is being issued in order to adjust the value of the Canton dollar to the official rate of 144 set by the National Government.

An official statement declares: "The reserves against these notes will, as usual, be held in the custody of the Canton branch of the National Currency Reserve Board but there is no indication to give as to what reserves are to be held against the new note issue."

A spokesman declined to reveal the total note circulation of the Kwangtung Provincial Bank.—(Reuter).

HEAVY FIGHTING SOUTH OF SIASHEH

Siaoshan, August 4.

Very heavy fighting is raging at Pinglinmiao south of Siashoh near the east Chekiang coast.

Early yesterday morning, Chinese troops charged the Japanese positions in the vicinity of Pinglinmiao and inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy forces. A Chinese battalion commander was killed in action in the engagement.

A column of Japanese troops, advancing from Haining towards Haiyen, is held in check by Chinese troops at Fengkaikiao where bitter fighting continues to rage.—(Central News).

United Front In Japan Against War

Hankow, August 4.

A Tokyo report states that Admiral Nobumasa Suetsugu, the Japanese Minister of Interior, has ordered the police, gendarmes and secret service agents throughout Japan to keep a watch on the radicals and intelligentsia, who are forming a united front against war.

Japanese and Korean revolutionaries are utilizing the Changkufeng clashes to renew their activities against the military clique, headed by the War Minister, General Seishiro Itagaki, Admiral Suetsugu, General Mazaki and others. The Minister for Interior has submitted a report of the "reactionaries" to the Premier, Prince Konoye.

Dispatch of Kwantung troops to participate in the Yangtse campaign is held up pending settlement of the border incidents. The original plan was to send five divisions from Manchuria to the Yangtse Valley.—(International).

FIVE-POINT PEACE PLAN REPORT

In response to popular demand, the report relating to Japan's Five-Point Peace Plan, as published exclusively in the Daily Press yesterday, is being reproduced in the Hong Kong Weekly Press of today's date, now on sale at 30 cents a copy.

EXAMINATION RESULTS

The results of the Hong Kong Government School Certificate Examination appear on Page 7.

Chinese Are Closing In On Shanghai

Shanghai, August 4.

Chinese troops in plain clothes under the command of General Yeh Ting are closing in on Shanghai, having reached the outskirts of Tazang, scene of extensive fighting last autumn.

Japanese are fortifying Shaonanziang to cope with the Chinese irregulars, and all Chinese workmen engaged by the Japanese military are dismissed or detained.

Communications between Lotien and Woosung are interrupted.

It is reported that Chinese guerillas broke into Hsiakwan and Taiping Gate in Nanking, where heavy fighting was raged last night.—(International).

LUNGWANGMIAO TAKEN

A Chinese guerilla unit of about 1000 men has captured Lungwangmiao, a few miles from Pootung, and Japanese aircraft have been sent to reconnoitre over the area yesterday, according to a dispatch to the Sing Tao Jih Pao.

NEW CAMP FOR WAR WAIFS

To accommodate the increasing number of child refugees the local branch of the War-time Child Welfare Association plan's to build a large camp at Taipo, according to Central News.

The site of the new camp has already been selected, and as soon as approval from the Hong Kong Government is obtained construction work will be started.

The camp is expected to accommodate at least 1,000 child refugees.

At present, the Association maintains a camp at Un Long.

CHINESE PRESS TOWARDS KIAOHSIEN

Chengchow, August 4.

Chinese forces in east Shantung are pressing towards Kiaohsien, southeast of Kaomi on the Kiaotsi Railway. Fighting has already broken out in the southern outskirts of the town with the Chinese steadily advancing.

Meanwhile, it is learned that Chinese mobile bands staged a night attack on Chefoo on Aug. 2, inflicting severe losses on the Japanese. They seized more than 80 rifles, two machine-guns and 12 armoured cars.—(Central News).

RAIL TROLLEY DAMAGED

Jerusalem, August 4.

A railway trolley has damaged by a land-mine near Tukarem today. Arab supernumeries and British troops, who went to investigate the incident, were fired on by bandits.

Two Arabs were wounded and a British soldier injured.—(Reuter Bulletin).

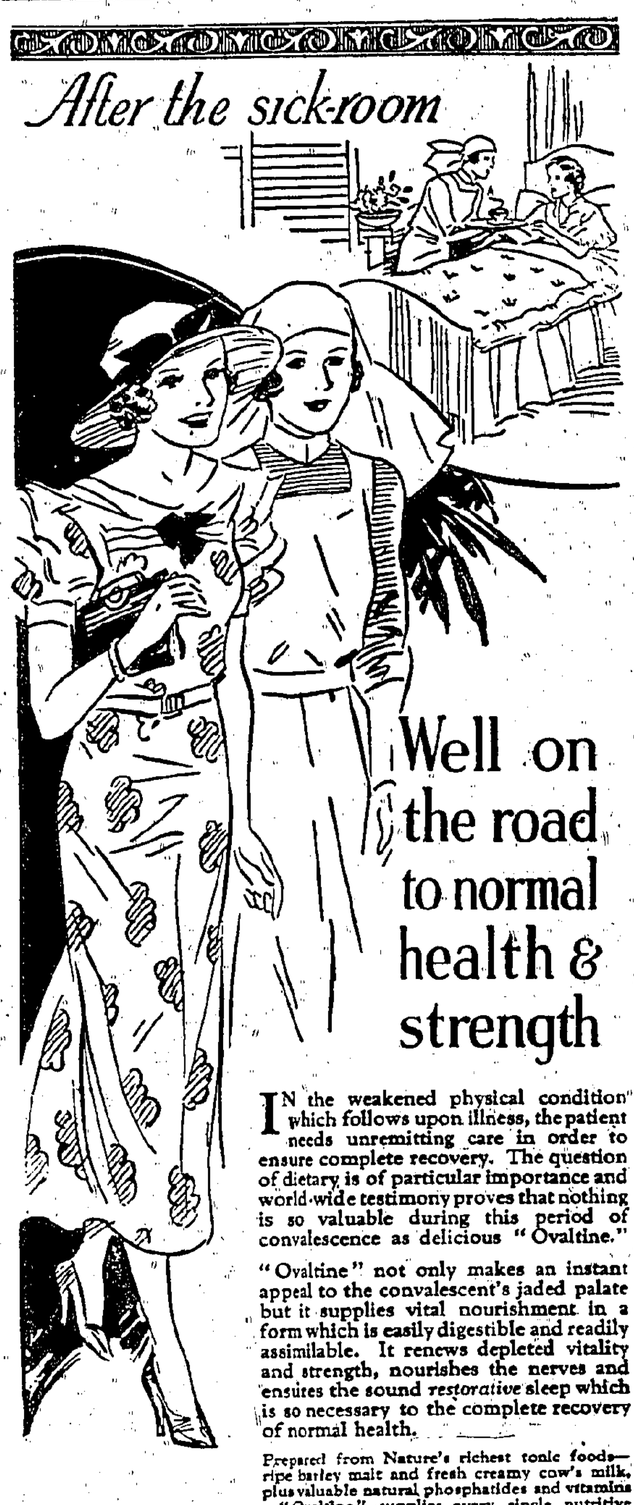
Japanese Forcibly Enter Hospital And Remove Wounded Chinese Soldiers

Shanghai, August 4.

Mounting machine-guns on all four corners of the British Church Missionary Society hospital in Hangchow, Japanese forcibly entered the hospital and removed 103 Chinese soldiers who were wounded during the Hangchow hostilities and whom the Japanese had given in a written agreement to allow the hospital to intern for the duration of the war.

The incident occurred on July 30 and news has only just been received in Shanghai.

The wounded Chinese soldiers were removed in waiting trucks, commanded by armed guards, and driven away since when no news of the incident had been reported to the British authorities.—(Reuter).



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LEARNING THE ART OF AVIATION

At The Far East Flying Training School

By A "Daily Press" Staff Reporter

Flying, you know airplane flying. It is not a very modern occupation, many people, men and women have been doing it for a good many years now. Yet the majority of us humans haven't the faintest idea what it is all about.

Just what are elevators, not lifts in a building? What does a pilot mean when he points his thumbs up, he does not want a ride? What does he mean when he points the thumbs down, not for you to go to Hades? And why should we be so ignorant regarding an arrived profession and a popular means for travel?

Peoples the world over are taking instruction in aviation. Men, mainly for a profession and a livelihood and women for their own amusement, too, with a keen sight into the future

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CHINESE STUDENTS

Many of the present students are Chinese and for these a translator is continuously employed in preparing and printing the necessary lectures in their language. This assistance together with the mechanics of flying gives them the equal chance of the European students and they pass their examinations and become number one pilots.

It will take a student between eight to twelve hours of instruction before he is ready to do his first solo. Sounds like a cinch, but there is a lot to it. You go flying up there in the air and start to have a swell time for yourself, when all of a sudden you are given instructions by the instructor in such things as straight and level flying, stalling, climbing, gliding, medium turns, gliding turns, spins, low flying and many more manoeuvres. But it is all in the game of learning to flying.

Remember when you first began to drive a motor car? Then in several months time you were or at least considered yourself a veteran at this driving business.

MEDICAL TEST

Another point in consideration is your physical being. To secure a license, a medical examination must be taken and passed. This can be given to you by your own family physician. It would be pretty bad to have to slide into a plane and start flying places with a hangover or something that does not tick correctly in your innerds. Consequently, this is one of the main requirements of the Far East Flying School.

The planes used by the School are all A-One and kept in perfect condition constantly. There are five machines, two Hornets, two Cadets and one Moth Major. The School awaits delivery of another new plane from London before the end of the year.

There are two types of planes the open cockpits and those which are enclosed with the seating arrangement in the cabin, side by side. In the latter plane no goggles, helmets or earphones are necessary.

HIS "A" LICENCE

When we paid our call on the School last week we had the pleasure of meeting Mr. K. A. Bidmead. This popular gentleman of the Colony does his business in the Police Department. He has just received his "A license,"—congratulations. We attempted to have him express his feelings and thoughts on the subject, but he was a bit shy when we charged him.

Amusement, interest and education are the main reasons he expressed for his decision in learning to fly. The instruction he received at the Far East Flying Training School was very satisfactory and he was thoroughly pleased with his work there. And when the Police Department starts flying about, we will all have to be on the lookout.

Students in the wood working shop.

POINTS OF INTEREST

We have attempted to give you some idea as to what is offered to you in the way of flying and some of its interests. Take a jaunt for yourself one of these afternoons and call on very nice Squadron Leader Smith he will be only too glad to show you part of what this flying business is about if you do not know or help you out with any of your ideas or knowledge on the subject.

In the next write-up we will go into the engineering end and en large upon the instruction, as well as a few of the personalities and their goings-on at the Far East Flying School.

Tree Cutters Severely Dealt With

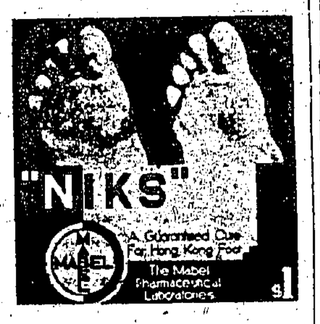
Several persons were brought before Mr. Butters at the Central Court yesterday charged with either the cutting or possession of tree branches, and were severely dealt with by the Magistrate.

An unemployed man, Wong Sze, 41, was given three months' hard labour with the alternative of $250 fine for cutting pine trees at the Government Plantation at Aberdeen.

Found with four pine tree trunks in his possession, bathing matshed caretaker, Ting Chiu, aged 64, was fined $50 or two months' imprisonment.

For a similar offence, Wing Fook, 31, was fined $250 with the alternative of three months.

Another man was given a similar sentence for the possession of 21 catties of wild tree wood at Pokfulam.



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CONVERSION CASE REMANDED

Appearing on remand before Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday on a charge of fradulent conversion, Lee Hon, unemployed, was further remanded till August 11.

Lee was alleged to have converted into his own use the sum of $3,583.19 belonging to one Li Wing Lung, alias Li Nin-son.

Mr. F. G. Nigel appeared on behalf of the complainant, and Detective-Sergeant E. Franklin was in charge of the case.

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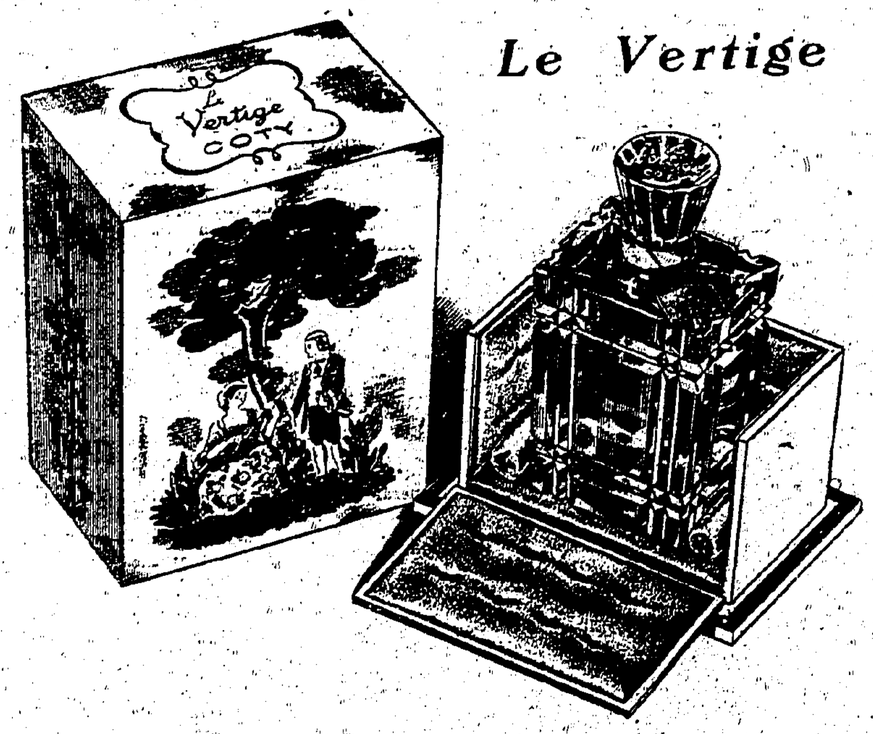

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CONFIDE IN FAITH PRIOR

WONDERING is analysing very cannily his friendship with a girl some years his senior.

She is from another country: therefore, your chivalry was roused and you made up for the lack of friends. You feel she has taken you for granted because of that and perhaps mistaken your true attitude. I see no reason why you should let yourself be carried along with her ideas, for if your heart is not in it, only tragedy and disappointment could result if you should marry later.

As you seem frightened of that, it would be wise to talk it over with her and say pleasantly truthful things about your friendship, but make it clear it will not lead to an engagement. Therefore, you would not mislead her either. Friendship is impossible, as a rule, between a man and women, unless they are either in love or realise that neither is.

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JUSTICE is worried by the one black sheep in the family. This is a mere child of 14 or so who is insolent, rebellious, disobedient, ungrateful and selfish. What can be done?

Perhaps the girl is suffering from an unsuspected sense of inferiority due to the older sister's admirable qualities which, perhaps, the former is reminded of too often. A difficult child may often be explained by analysis of older ones' temperaments, and nobody living can endure to have another person set up always as an example to be followed. The perversity of human nature provides steady rebellion without the person knowing it.

No, thrashing would intensify her unconscious feeling of inferiority or injustice. She is at a difficult age. Find, if you can, some way by which she can excel over the older one, and praise her generously when deserved. If this fails, I suggest consulting a woman psychologist accustomed to children's strange moods.

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WAITING, through not being interested in a sporting pursuit favoured by his friend, has been hurt by seeing her interesting herself in someone else.

I should not call your emotions jealousy. You are very serious and she seems to take life more lightly, and very often a girl will change her feelings very easily when fresh interests come along. Most young men have to pass through the peculiar torments of young love. It does not hurt, so make up your mind to endure it. Your emotions are being shared by thousands.

The fault is, I think, in your inability or refusal to share her interests. Couples cannot hope to maintain love and comradeship unless they give and take, and you would be wise to develop that interest; and so go where she does, if you want her. But it seems that matters are best left alone, as she seems to have chosen.

HALF EDUCATED asks in a simple, well-expressed letter how to overcome the awkwardness of half knowledge, and of what use is human psychology to the average person and how best to study it.

A knowledge of simple human psychology is of profound value to any man or woman. It aids one to look through behavior and find motives, to analyse one's own actions and put the brake on emotions, and to recognise their origin. Knowing oneself and others more intimately is like opening the back of a clock to see how it works after long being puzzled by it. When something goes wrong, then it is easy to put it right, and to know what is wrong.

The mind is a world of interest and the power-house of the body, and psychology is a study of the mind in relationship to the body. Clearer thinking, a wiser and safer philosophy, more happiness, more confidence, and more balance come with this study.

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DEAR FAITH PRIOR: I am a small salaried working man with a seven year old son to support.

Several days ago an acquaintance whom I have not seen for a year asked me for a $200 loan, payable by the end of September.

The loan is to be used for a business.

This acquaintance has two children and a wife to support.

What should I do? I hate to refuse the assistance, but I really cannot afford it.—A Widower.

Dear Widower: I believe your acquaintance is imposing upon you.

However, he may be desperate.

Commencing a business these days is a very precarious undertaking unless you have a fair amount of capital.

I should investigate the business he wishes to enter into before lending him any money.

You are not obliged, on the other hand, to give this man a loan, and in your present position I should advise against it.

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(Each week in this column, Faith Prior answers questions of a personal nature submitted by readers of the Daily Press.)

Alexandra Marina

Edwardian days are here again . . . .

Fashion PRE-VIEW

CHARM IN DANCE DRESSES

Charm, a quality that has really been absent from the dance dresses for several years, now provades all the large fashion centres when ladies step out to music. The subtly exciting charm of the waltz is sewed into our summer dance dresses. Whatever they wore to shock you into attention elsewhere, the women who make fashions are out to charm when they dance.

Dancing frocks are made with lets that are gold garlands, worn skirts that float and whirl around in pairs, are delightful with dance a moving figure like eddies in a dresses. Both necklace and bracestream. The bodices are usually let are very wide. With ears low cut, moulded and often roman- showing the way they do, earrings tic, with dropped shoulder line. are important. And old-fashioned The materials used are all of the dangling earrings are just right sheer and enchanting kinds, like with those dropped shoulder silk organdie, crisp lace, soft chif- bodices. fon

Slim waistlines, and frankly Some women wear long, lacy revealed satin shoulders and arms mitts or short gloves with their are an incitement to romance. dance dresses, but most of them The Viennese waltz is the dance prefer nothing on their hands. of this summer, when people are sadly sentimental over the fate of **LITTLE NOTHINGS**

Austria—and the new summer **Dance slippers are little nothings** styles are a sweet tribute to the **as to weight. Those thick-soled** Vienna of the past. **clogs, which have been pushed, never get an invitation to the dance. Women wear incredibly supple tied-around sandals, which look like some ribbons and a pair of soles with heels, or they wear very low cut pumps.**

DELICATE SHADES

Dance frocks are made in all the delicate and charming shades that the Viennese maidens loved to wear in the heyday of the waltz. Turquoise and hyacinth blue, rose pink, palest lime green and lime yellow, and the eternally splendid white, or sheer black, are main colours that women wear to dances.

Patou's black lace and white chiffon frock with a twenty-yard skirt is very exotic.

Vionnet's magnificient rose and brown bouffant frock, also uniting lace and chiffon, is another hit.

Chanel's enchanting white organdie dress, covered with a frosting of tiny ribbon ruffles from shoulders to toes, proves to be a great favourite. So are her lace and chiffon frocks with such daringly low-cut bodices.

Paquin's Spanish Senorita frock, with a ruffled skirt in strong Spanish shades and pastels, gets around to rhythm everywhere.

Molyneux's Winterhalter frocks, particularly one in pale yellow with a black lace shawl and fan, are perfect for dancing.

Mainbocher's Creole dresses, with icy white bodices and full black tulle skirts, are very popular.

It is smart to match slippers to your frock this summer. A great many white evening shoes are worn when white dresses predominate.

An outstanding white dance dress is made of white tulle, with one of those fabulously full skirts that are universal. The fitted bodice is trimmed with crossed bands of silver beading. These bands extend down and are lost in the folds of the skirt.

A successful black chiffon and lace dance dress is made of starched black chiffon and almost entirely covered with tiny ruffles of black Valenciennes lace set up and down the very full skirt. The very low cut fitted bodice is banded with the same lace ruffles. The dropped shoulder bands have two ruffles that extend to the waistline of the bodice. A black satin ribbon makes the sash.

RUSTIC COTTON

Another amusing and very popular dance dress is of rustic upholstery cotton, the colour of faded blue denim overalls. A very low V neck line in the front, no back, tight-fitting waist and again the extremely wide skirt. A wide sash of navy blue velvet is worn at the waist knotted at the side in front. A trick compliment to this costume is two cotton kerchiefs; one large one ties around the head and the other, smaller and matching, is attached to the sash with a brilliant clip or pin.

All your costumes should do something for you. Any of these ensembles will charm you, lend you charm and charm that skin-and-bones packed neatly in a dinner suit or tails.

Anita Louise, appearing in a new M-G-M production, chooses this green chiffon, with all-over pattern of white flowers, for the warm casual days. The finely pleated skirt gives easy fullness. The bodice is tailored. Anita wears it with a broad-brimmed black Milan hat with grosgrain band and streamer.

SIMPLE COIFFURE

All of these renowned styles have been copied and reviewed in our fashion shops and magazines.

It has been noticed that women wearing these costumes use a beautifully simple coiffure and no ornaments except flowers or filmy tulle headdresses. The hair looks brushed and shining and is not tortured into stiff, eccentric styles.

Delicate tinkling jewels replace the jewel oddities which make chic with other types of clothes. Flowers and spray necklaces, which must be artificial gems, are no less enchanting because of that. Brace-

Round The Shops

Drip, drip, drip! Yes, it has been raining the whole week and more or less keeping you all at bridge tables, teas and activities indoors. But have you given a thought to the fact that this coming week sees the very end nearly of all the sales in town?

Last Two Days

Don't say we did not tell you! Our large emporium has two more days to offer you some very good bargains.

The white handbag values are very good in this shop; pouches, envelopes, leather and fabric combination and the washable Fabricord are the selections. You will be using white for another two months more. And what a gift for a coming birthday one of these would make!

Shoes, do you ever have enough of them? No. Well, the evening slippers offered in a fair selection of styles at $5 will be very useful this coming autumn. Mainly in white—and that is a godsend, as you usually must dye your evening shoes to match or make a perfect contrast for the "after nine" ensemble.

Knick-knacks and gadgets, you need many of these. They are also on sale for two days more.

Big Gals

All of us are not small and tiny and can skid into 12, 14 or 16 sizes. It is lots of work sometimes to find a becoming costume in the larger sizes. But have you taken a look in the small specialty shop which specialises in attractive large sizes, particularly daytime dresses? Prints, solid and combination colours. The styles are new and the tailoring beyond a cry of disgust.

This same shop offers a small selection in the classic and useful "Three In One Dress," very necessary to a wardrobe at all times of day and year. The skirt, shorts and blouse combination can give you a three-way costume for sports, lounging and luncheons at home. Cottons and acetates are the materials and the cut is excellent

All of these are on sale, but not for long, so have a look.

Cobweb Dresses

Soft pastel cobweb laces made into simple and very attractive afternoon or the very informal supper frock. A Kowloon specialty shop has a very select group of these dresses in the large and small sizes. All have a matching pastel slip of rayon taffeta.

The trim, or we should say, gadget trim, from jewel buttons, the insect family in jewels and pins, plus velvet and silk bows and belts, are just the final touch which makes these dresses so smart.

An outstanding style is made of cinnamon brown cotton lace with matching silk slip, has a pleated bodice from shoulder to waist line in front, short sleeves and no collar. The skirt is inch-square pleats in the front, stitched to the knee. The tailoring is very good on this model, which will do things for the wearer.

Manila Straws

A new line has been introduced in one of the small shops in town. Various items made from natural and coloured Manila straw, which is so light and yet very durable.

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ACQUIREMENT OF POISE

A most important quality to develop is poise. It is necessary to social behaviour, too. Poise can be defined as a calm exterior. And the advantage of a calm exterior is that it gives you a defence, a bulwark behind which you think. No matter what is going on inside yourself, you can carry off the most embarrassing scene providing you can summon composure. What goes on in many a person hidden beneath a bland face only that person knows. It is only when self-consciousness seizes our minds that our bodies become huge, unmanageable masses of hands, arms, legs and tongues.

Poise requires practice. Yet it can be acquired. How? Find some way to confidence. This you can attain in several ways. Say that a rich uncle leaves you a million dollars. That might give you confidence. But if you have no millionaire uncle, the next best confidence builder is to get yourself dressed up.

Get the best out of your complexion, your hair, your nails. Men seldom notice these things individually, but the ensemble makes an impression. And when you know every detail is right, the bolstering effect is miraculous. Avoid slovenliness at any cost. There are few men in the world who won't look at your legs. So your seams should always be straight.

MEN NOT SUBTLE

Don't slink, or slouch. The tall girl should not try to be small, but as tall as possible. That's what you are, so be it. Remember that men, as a rule, are not subtle and that the more straight-forward you can be, both in aplomb and in speech, the better impression you will make.

Don't deflate yourself. You are a person and as such you will be treated with deference and respect. Being underbearing is almost as much of a sin as being overbearing, and they both spring from the same source, shyness.

Don't try to be the centre of attraction, or the life of the party, if it doesn't come naturally. Don't sit in a corner and pretend to be bored. We all envy the person who gets the laughs, but somebody must be the audience.

If you want to be a story-teller, memorise some yarns as an actor would a part. Keep them short and to the point and be sure they are funny. Rehearse them over and over in your room. Wait for the proper occasion and then let them have it. It is not necessary to have a nimble wit to tell a story well. Story-telling merely requires practice. Never try to force your stories, and don't repeat them to the same listeners This needless to say, requires a good memory.

BE DEFINITE

Don't make any movement merely for the sake of movement. If you accept a cigarette, want the cigarette. Be definite. Don't play with a fork or an ash tray while you are speaking. It is distracting. Above all, look the person in the eye.

Make this resolution, and it will save you many heartaches and hours of remorse; don't speak unless you know what you are talking about. If you stick to this, your silence will often carry as much weight as profound observations. How many people, to cover shyness, have you heard say anything that pops into their head—foolish, stupid things, completely away from the point and what they really think, but just said quickly, in panic, because they felt they had to say something? Concentrate on what you are saying and what you are doing. It is through concentration that we cease thinking of ourselves. Never pretend interest or boredom. Naturalness is the path the best-liked people choose. Frankness is the perfect antidote for the poison exuded by stuffed shirts. Poseurs and pretenders are little people.

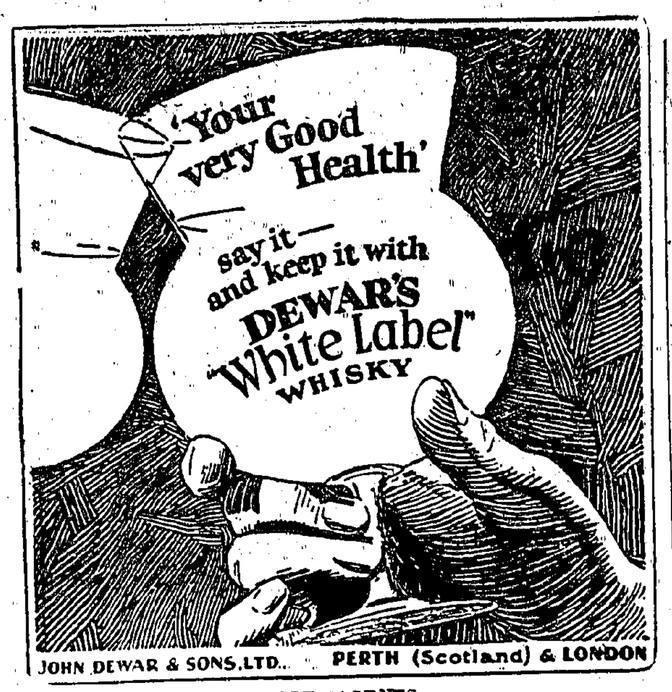
FEW DEEP BREATHS

If you make some attempt to put the other person at ease, you will find it not only helps you to overcome your own nervousness but it enhances you in his eyes. Relax. The reason you are always able to think of a brilliant answer several hours later doesn't mean you're a dim wit, it's because you are relaxed.

Don't be afraid to be naive. Naivete can be charming.

One more helpful suggestion. Before entering a room fortify yourself against shyness and fear by taking a few deep breaths. You will find it works so well that eventually it becomes a habit.

There you are, me lassies. When you have mastered the secret of how to put a man at his ease, the brave lion will, in gratitude, eat out of your hand. Seek from a man wisdom and knowledge, and even if you don't get them you will find, yourself with the reins, in complete control of the situation—and you'll be suprised how simple it is.



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NEWS ABOUT THE SERVICES

ROYAL NAVY

A contingent of the Mediterranean Fleet will visit Venice. It will include the cruisers Arethusa and Penelope, the former flying the flag of Rear-Admiral Lionel Wells, C. B., D.S.O., and the battleship Malaya, flagship of Rear-Admiral Ralph Leatham, C.B. The Malaya will visit Korcula from July 30 to August 6.

The flag of Rear-Admiral Geoffrey Layton, C.B., D.S.O., who has been appointed to command the Battle Cruiser Squadron, Mediterranean Fleet, will be hoisted this morning in H.M.S. President at Blackfriars and struck at sunset. He will leave London on August 12 for Malta, arriving on August 21 to take up his command.

ESCORT FOR ROYAL YACHT

The destroyer Boreas, Commander J. W. M. Eaton, of the 4th Flotilla, Home Fleet, will act as escort to the Royal yacht Victoria and Albert during the short holiday cruise which the King and Queen are to make in the yacht in the Channel, and subsequently during the passage of the yacht to Scotland.

AFRICA STATION

Vice-Admiral G. H. D'Oyly Lyon, C.B., Commander-in-Chief on the Africa Station, transferred his flag from the Amphion to the Neptune, Captain J. A. V. Morse, D.S.O., at Simonstown, and the Amphion left under the command of Captain R. L. Burnett, O.B.E., for a cruise to Loanda, where she stayed from July 28 to August 4, returning to the base on August 9.

VACANCIES FOR CADETS

At the Navy, Army, and Air Force examination by the Civil Service Commissioners in November next the following vacancies will be offered for competition:—Naval cadetships (executive), 33; naval cadetships, (engineering), 20; paymaster cadetships, 10; and first appointments, Royal Marines, 20. The engineering cadetships have been increased from 12 at the corresponding examination a year ago. Age limits for naval and paymaster cadetships are from 17 years to 18 years 8 months on January 1, 1939; and for Royal Marine appointments from 17½ to 19½ years on that date. Application forms must be returned to the Civil Service Commissioners not later than September 15.

MERCHANT SHIP SIGNALLING

During the quarter ended March 31 a total of 1,436 successful exercises in signalling were reported between H.M. ships and British merchant vessels. This is a reduction on the 1,572 for the previous quarter but a big increase on the total of 1,199 for the corresponding quarter of 1937. H.M.S. Enterprise, on passage home from the East Indies, had the highest total of 80 successful exercises, followed closely by the 5th Destroyer Flotilla with 79, and the 4th Destoyer Flotilla with 78.

The Birmingham, in China, had 71. British Tanker Company's vessels had the highest total on the mercantile side—140— and the British India Company and P. & O. Company each had 84. Among results specially commended was an exercise by signal projector between H.M.S. Courageous and the C.P.R. liner Empress of Britain. The latter was called at a distance of eight miles and answered immediately.

EDUCATION TESTS

At the March examination for seamen and other ratings in Part I of the educational tests there were 2,993 candidates, and 1,670 passed, or 55 per cent. This shows an improvment over the previous examination in November, when 2,392 candidates sat and 978 passed, or just over 40 per cent. In Part II of the educational test, however, 476 sat and 213 passed, or 44 per cent., which shows a falling off on the November examination, when out of 511 candidates 367 were successful, or 71 per cent.

COMMAND OF THE WESTON

Commander Herbert Lovegrove, promoted in the midsummer list, is appointed to command the escort vessel Weston, in the Red Sea Division, in succession to Commander H. L. St. J. Fancourt.

NAVAL APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments were made by the Admiralty:—

Cdr.—G. W. G. Simpson, to Porpoise in cmd. (Aug. 31).

Surgn. Cdr.—M. B. Devane, L.R.C.P. and S., to Colombo (Sept 24).

Lt.-Cdrs.—R. N. Garnett, to Duphin (July 23); B. Bryant, to Sea Lion in cmd. (undated); R. P. Lonsdale, to Lucia (Aug. 7); K. F. Boxall, to Fitzroy in cmd S. J. Hennessey, to Scott (Aug. 22)

Surgn. Lt.-Cdrs.—W. J. M. Sadler, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., to Vindictive, and C. H. Birt, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H., to Sheffield (Aug. 22); H. G. Wells, M.B., B.Ch., to Curlew (on commg.).

Lts.—J. K. Wright, to Victory for R.N. Bks. (July 23); R. M. Aubrey, to Pembroke for R.N. Bks. (Aug. 1); J. B. King-Church, to Express (July 25); J. J. S. Yorke, to Scimitar (Aug. 24); R. S. Hopper, to Glorious (July 28); J. W. Parry, G. D. A. Gregory, and W. D. A. King, to Dolphin (Aug. 2, 8, and 5 respectively); D. E. Mansfield and W. G. Donald, to Dolphin for ces (Sept. 5); J. S. Wraith, to Sunfish (Aug. 7); H. A. V. Haggard, to Narwhal (Aug. 4); D. H. B. Barrett, to Shark and E. W. Cholerton, to Maidstone (undated); P. B. Marriot, to Dolphin, (Aug. 8); J. D. Sutcliffe, to Starfish (Aug. 7); A. M. Hutchinson, to L23 (Aug. 5); D. A. B. Abdy, to Medway (Aug. 6); R. D. Whiteway-Wilkinson, to Titania, R. E. Hutchins, to Dolphin, and W. O. Shelford, to L 27 in cmd. (all Aug. 7); E. O. Bickford, to Salmon in cmd.; P. N. Buckley, to Maidstone, A. N. G. Campbell, to Swordfish in cmd., J. H. Eaden, to Titania, and T. T. Euman, to Sunfish in cmd (all Aug. 6); J. M Bond, to Redwing in cmd. (July 20).

Lts. (E).—B. H. Dodds and A. C. K. Laman, lend to R.C.N. for two years (undated); J. E. Thornton to Pembroke for M.T.E., Chatham (Aug. 9); G. A. O. Andrews, to Intrepid, (Aug. 10).

Sub-Lts.—D. Lambert, to Regent, P. F. Fawkes, to Orpheus, D. E. Wheeler, to Shark, and R. H. M. Hancock, to Salmon (all undated); D. W. Leggatt to Titania, Sir G. P. G. Muntz, Bart., to L 27, J. B. F. Brackenbury, to H 49, P. E. Newstead, to H. 33 M. L. C. Crawford and F. E. Macvie, to Maidstons. R. P. Webb and S. A. Potter, to Medway, A. R. Daniell and K. W. M. Meyrick, to Lucia (all Aug. 6).

Cd. Engrs.—L. C. M. Jopling, to Mallard (Aug. 9); R. Duckworth, to Brilliant (July 29).

Gnr.—L. A. Pepperell, to Cardiff (Aug. 1).

Act. Gnrs. (T).—A. J. Stanton, to Newcastle (Aug. 15); J. Mason, to Fame (Aug. 1).

PROMOTION

Lt. (E.) (Retd.).—A. J. Allchorn to rank of Lt.-Cdr. (E.) (Retd.) (seny. July 23).

THE ARMY

APPOINTMENTS IN INDIA

The following appointments in India are notified:—

Lieutenant-Colonel C. M. Maltby, M.C., 9th Jat Regiment, has been confirmed as G.S.O.1, at the the Staff College in Quetta, replacing Colonel T. W. Corbett, M.C., who vacated on June 28

Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. Happell to be officiating Judge Advocate-General in India during Brigadier L. M. Peet's leave.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. F. Meiklejohn, 10th Baluch Regiment, to be officiating Inspector of P.T. and Commandant of the School, to cover the leave period.

Major P. S. Sparling, R.A.V.C., has assumed D.A.D.V.S., Kohat District, and Major C. Holland, M.C., is posted to Baluchistan.

Major C. Southgate, M.C., is transferred from the 4th P.W.O Gurkha Rifles to the 3rd Battalion, 9th Jat Regiment, as Commandant.

Major T. G. Lewis, 3rd Jat Regiment, is seconded as Administrative Commandant of the 11th Battalion.

Major W. F. Cooper has become D.A.D. of Hygiene, Deccan District.

INDIA RIFLE CHAMPIONSHIPS

The programme of the Army Rifle Association in India for 1938-39 has been issued to units, and the central meeting for the championships will be held at Meerut from February 18 to 25. The competition for the King's Medal is the chief event, and this is for the Army and R.A.F., excluding Burma. Marksmen in the latter country will be eligible for all other matches.

Unit team championships will be fired on local ranges under the non-central matches programme, the chief of which is for the King-Emperor's Cup. There will be matches for rifles fitted with aperture sights, for both central and non-central shooting.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

COMMAND OF NO. 10 SQUADRON

Wing Commander W. E. Staton, M.C., D.F.C., promoted in the July list, has been appointed in command of No. 10 (Bomber) Squadron of Whitley aircraft at Dishforth. Wing Commander S. Graham, M.C., relinquished command of this squadron recently to take up liaison duties at one of the civil aircraft works.

PASSING-OUT INSPECTIONS

Air Marshal Sir Charles Burnett Air Officer C.-in-C., Training Command, conducted the passing-out inspection of aircraft apprentices at the School of Technical Training, Halton, recently, and Air Chief Marshal Sir Edgar Ludlow-Hewitt, Air Officer C.-in-C., Bomber Command, that of the apprentices at the Electrical and Wireless School, Cranwell.

LONG SERVICE MEDALS

The following warrant officers have been awarded the Long Service and Good Conduct Medal;—B. Fellows, Aden; G. H. L. May, Cottesmore; E. Plowright, Marham; J. E. Spillard, Mildenhall; F. White, Abbotsinch; and R. W. Woodley, Lee-on-Solent.

CHANGES IN HIGHER APPOINTMENTS

The Air Ministry announces the following appointments:—

Air Vice-Marshal P. C. Maltby, D.S.O., A.F.C., to be Air Officer Commanding, No. 24 (Training) Group, Royal Air Force, at the beginning of August, vice Air Vice-Marshal J. T. Babington, C.B.E., D.S.O., who succeeds Air Vice-Marshal A. W. Tedder, C.B., as Air Officer Commanding, Royal Air Force, Far East, in September.

Group Captain F. E. P. Barrington to assume command of Royal Air Force, Mediterranean, temporarily in July, vice Air Vice-Marshal P. C. Maltby.

£7,900,000 For Scots Education

Introducing the Scottish Education vote in the House of Commons recently Mr. Wedderburn, Under Secretary for Scotland, said the estimated expenditure was £7,900,000, an increase of £164,000.

There was every reason to think that the year 1939-40 would find the education authorities generally prepared to make effective educational provision for the large proportion of children between 14 and 15 who would continue at school under the new arrangement.

In the Edinburgh area there were nine school providing a three-year secondary course, and six schools providing a five-year course.

The building programme for this area included 22 new or enlarged schools at an estimated cost of £700,000.

Air Minister And World Unrest

BRITAIN'S AIM TO ENSURE PEACE

WHY REARMAMENT IS NECESSARY

"There are in the world today fears, suspicions, and what many regard as injustices, which might well be the underlying causes of another war," said Sir Kingsley Wood, the Secretary of State for Air, in a speech recently at a National Government demonstration in the grounds of Eltham Palace, Eltham, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Courtauld.

Sir Kingsley said that the strength of Great Britain was a decisive factor in the preservation of peace. With that belief they were determined to press on with the rearmament of the country with all speed, confident in the knowledge that no country would ever have any justification for accusing us of aggressive intentions or actions. The defence of our country and, above all, the defence of peace would always be our objective.

A policy of rearmament was not sufficient in itself to ensure the maintenance of peace. We must make positive efforts to achieve it. We must secure such effective co-operation between the nations so that all might live together in amity, trading freely with one another, and ready to settle their differences by other means than force.

INACTIVITY FATAL

If we were to live at peace with other nations we must learn to understand their points of view and be prepared to take all proper steps open to us to secure better relations—"a policy of inactivity is as fatal as one of threats and bluster."

Commenting on the fact that there never had been a period when the people of this country had taken a keener interest in international affairs, Sir Kingsley Wood said: "The reason is plain; it is because the issues of peace and war are involved, and if war came it would be one in which the whole nation would be engaged.

"One has only to reflect for a moment on the appalling horrors of such a catastrophe to appreciate that reckless action, such as intervention in Spain, would be a gamble not in money but in lives.

"It is easy for those who have to accept no responsibility for their actions or utterances to indulge in threats and bravado, but the Government of this country are determined not to provoke conflict but to promote peace and good will.

Mr. Lee Chih-man has been assigned to succeed Mr. Lin Hon as officer-in-charge of the Military Training Headquarters of the Kwangtung Military Administrative Area Commission.

COMBATTING EPIDEMICS IN THE FAR EAST

In many countries there frequently are contagious diseases which are a source of constant danger, not only for the countries themselves but also for the entire world.

The extent of world-wide travel means that distance no longer exists. For instance, when an epidemic breaks out in China, it can easily constitute a menace for Mediterranean countries as well as for those surrounding the Gulf of Mexico.

It is therefore most important that the whole world and especially hygienic organisations, should be informed as soon as a contagious malady rages in a certain country, on a ship, and so on, so that the necessary steps can be taken in good time.

The Eastern Bureau in Singapore deals specially with the supervision of contagious diseases which rage in the Far East where populations are so dense and these maladies are far from being rare. This Bureau publishes a bulletin each week giving the health reports of the East, the bulletin then being communicated to the whole world by telegraph or radio.

ENORMOUS FIGURE

One of the most frequent diseases with which the Eastern Bureau has most to do is malaria. Whilst it is impossible to ascertain the exact number of malaria cases treated throughout the world every year, we know that, according to Professor Reiner Muller, the number of such cases reaches the enormous figure of about 800 millions.

The Eastern Bureau owes its inception to the League of Nations, just as the Malaria Commission which goes very thoroughly into malaria problems and everything relating to the question of quinine distribution. In a report published recently by the Malaria Commission of the League of Nations, this Commission announced that for treating malaria it recommends the short quinine treatment, during which from 15-20 grains of quinine are taken daily during five to seven days, this treatment being repeated should a relapse occur.

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Kiel, August 4.

The First Lord of the Admiralty, Mr. A. Duff Cooper, will arrive here today in the course of an unofficial visit to the Baltic harbours. After a two-day sojourn he will proceed on board the Admiralty yacht, Enchantress, to Gdynia, Danzig, Helsingfors, Stockholm and Copenhagen.—(Transocean).

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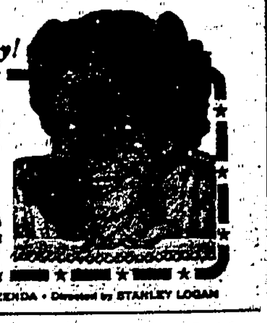

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HISTORY FILMED FOR YEAR 4000

Whether Hollywood likes it or not, people living in the year 4000 will be able to see and hear today's history in the making.

Although a Hollywood chemist estimated the maximum duration of film at 25 years, Government researchists said no apparent limit has yet been found.

The Bureau of Standards recently completed "accelerated aging" tests in which films in six months went through the effects of 50 years' storage in a cool dark room.

These tests showed that cellulose, or explosive, film, would last from 50 to 100 years. The newer safety, or acetate, film "may be preserved for much longer periods," the experts declared. Unofficially, they put the figure at "several hundred years."

RESULTS OF BRITISH FILM BALLOT

"Victoria The Great" Tops Ten Pictures

ANTON WALBROOK AND FLORA ROBSON WIN

The best British picture released during 1937 was "Victoria the Great."

The best performance by an actor in a British film was that of Anton Walbrook in "Victoria the Great."

The best performance by an actress in a British film was that of Flora Robson in "Fire Over England."

These are the results of Film Weekly's Tenth Annual British Film Ballot.

Complete details are as follows:

TEN BEST BRITISH FILMS

1 "Victoria the Great."
2 "Wings of the Morning."
3 "Farewell Again."
4 "Fire Over England."
5 "Storm in a Teacup."
6 "Love from a Stranger."
7 "Elephant Boy."
8 "The Great Barrier."
9 "Rembrandt."
10 "Dark Journey."

TEN BEST PERFORMANCES (ACTORS)

1 **Anton Walbrook in "Victoria the Great."**
2 Basil Rathbone in "Love from a Stranger."
3 Charles Laughton in "Rembrandt."
4 Rex Harrison in "Storm in a Teacup."
5 Conrad Veidt in "Dark Journey."
6 Laurence Olivier in "Fire Over England."
7 Leslie Banks in "Farewel Again."
8 John Lodge in "Sensation."
9 Sabu in "Elephant Boy."
10 Emlyn Williams in "Broken Blossoms."

TEN BEST PERFORMANCES (ACTRESSES)

1 **Flora Robson in "Fire Over England."**
2 Anna Neagle in "Victoria the Great."
3 Annabella in "Wings of the Morning."
4 Diana Churchill in "The Dominant Sex."
5 Ann Harding in "Love from a Stranger."
6 Dolly Haas in "Broken Blossoms."
7 Vivien Leigh in "Storm in a Teacup."
8 Elisabeth Bergner in "Dreaming Lips."
9 Miriam Hopkins in "Men are not Gods"
10 Sylvia Sidney in "Sabotage"

SCREENED IN HONG KONG

The following films from the above have been screened in Hong Kong:—

"Victoria the Great," "Wings of the Morning," "Farewell Again," "Fire Over England," "Love from a Stranger," "Elephant Boy," "Rembrandt," "Dark Journey," "Dreaming Lips," "Men are not Gods" and "Sabotage."

Today's Screenings

Hong Kong

KING'S:
"Escapade"

QUEEN'S:
"The Rage Of Paris"

ORIENTAL:
"Wise Girl"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:
"Dangerously Yours"

STAR:
"First Lady"

MAJESTIC:
"The Champ"

Coming

KING'S:
"Beau Hunk"

QUEEN'S:
"Maid's Night Out"

ORIENTAL:
"Happy Landing"
"Prisoner of Shark Island"

ALHAMBRA:
"The Rage Of Paris"
"Wild Horse Mesa"

STAR:
"San Francisco"

MAJESTIC:
"The Hurricane"

THE RAGE OF PARIS

Danielle Darrieux, the famous French film star whose appearance in American pictures has been widely heralded, may be seen today at the Queen's Theatre in her first trans-Atlantic production, "The Rage of Paris."

Starred opposite the French sensation is Douglas Fairbanks Jnr., who recently scored a hit in "Joy of Living." Other parts are taken by Mischa Auer, Helen Broderick and Louis Hayward.

The story is about a French girl who lands in New York broke and poses for an advertising firm until she meets her boss. Then the fun and the trouble starts.

The picture will also be showing at the Alhambra as from tomorrow.

OUTSTANDING FIGHT FILM

The hero of "The Big House" plays the father of "Skippy" in a combination that is really an event of the screen season. Wallace Beery and Jackie Cooper appear as two stars in a single picture in "The Champ," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's dramatic romance of sporting life and the human angle behind it, which is now showing at the Majestic Theatre.

Primarily it is a mighty drama of the love of a father and his son. There is a gripping element of human sacrifice. Surrounding this is comedy galore and the thrills of a Mexican border town, with its gambling, racing and prize fighting. Much of it was actually filmed in Mexico.

ESCAPADE

William Powell plays one of the most engagingly humorous roles in many a moon opposite Luise Rainer in "Escapade," gay Continental drama now playing at the King's Theatre.

It is the story of an artist whose flirtations land him into trouble with the jealous husband of a former sweetheart, and into a romance with a demure girl whom he chose for an alibi, in a mix-up over the painting of the married woman which accidentally got into print.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TODAY

Anniversaries and Holidays.—Our Lady of "the Snows," Foundation of the Basilica of St. Maria Maggiore in Rome, A.D. 366.

Auctions.—Household Furniture, at 2 Connaught Road Central, ground floor, 2.30 p.m.

Cinemas.—(See Column 3 of this Page).

Lectures.—Air Raid Precautions, Maryknoll Convent School, Kowloon, 4 p.m.; Y.W.C.A. 38c, Bonham Road, Hong Kong, 8 p.m.

Mails.—(See Page 16).

Meetings.—Council of the Hongkong Lawn Bowls Assen., in S. C. M. Post Board Room, 5.30 p.m.

Miscellaneous.—Claims against the Estate of Bela Singh, late of Amoy, due.

Social.—Whist Drive and Tombola in the R. E. Warrant Officers and Sergents' Mess, Wellington Barracks, 9 p.m.; Tea Party to all Missionaries in the Colony, at Helena May, 4.30 p.m., followed by concert; Cheero Club Contract Bridge, 8 p.m.

Moon.—VII Moon, 10th. Day.

Sports.—(See Page 10).

Sunrise.—5.56 a.m. **Sunset.**—7.02 p.m.

Tides.—High at 04.25 and 18.48: Low at 12.12 and 21.40.

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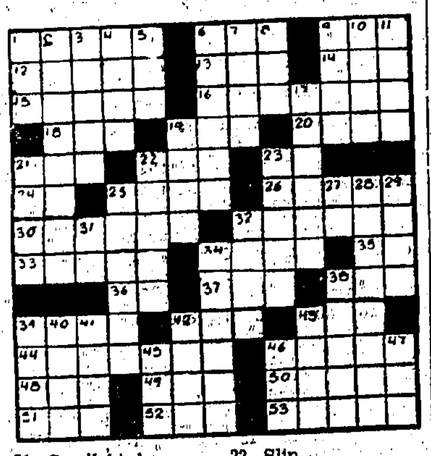

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19 Hawaiian octopus
20 Ancient and illustrious family of Italy
21 Frigid
22 Sheltered side
23 Like
24 Greek letter
25 Merit
26 Flower
30 Grasps
32 Formal agreement
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34 A monk's cowl
35 Exclamation
36 College degree
37 Possess
38 Encountered
39 Woody plant
42 Eagle
43 Deface
44 Pounds
46 Volcano on the island of Martinique
48 Cuckoo.
49 Peer Gynt's mother
50 Communion-table
51 Small bird
52 Things (law)
53 Stagnant

DOWN

1 Topaz humming-bird
2 Deride
3 Kingdom in S. Europe
4 Capital of Yemen vilayet, Arabia
5 Biblical name
6 Fabric
7 French surgeon
8 Macaw
9 Leaps
10 Aid
11 Lateral
17 Threw into hopeless confusion
19 Possessive pronoun
21 Twelfth part of a foot
22 Slip
23 Brother of Moses
25 Prize
27 Chemical symbol
28 Heavenly
29 A tenant in India
31 Lava
32 Subdivision of a county
34 Steeds
38 Fortified British island
39 Demonstrative pronoun
40 Hindu queen
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42 Language of the Scottish highlanders
43 Liquefy
45 Sense organ
46 Dance step
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SOLUTION TOMORROW

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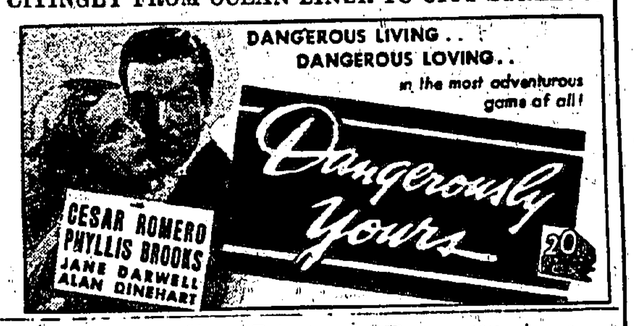

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TOMORROW — New Universal Picture — DANIELLE DARRIEUX in "THE RAGE OF PARIS" with Douglas Fairbanks, Jr. — Mischa Auer

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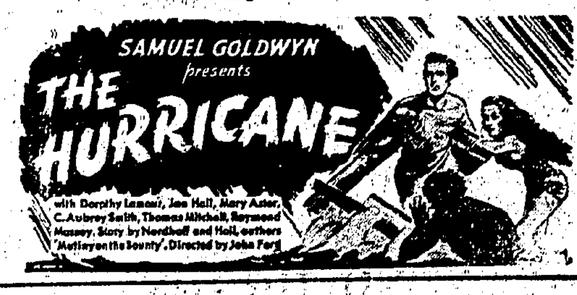

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RELIEF "DEBT"

Eugene W. Casey, Negro taxi driver, has paid the first instalment on the $70.70 "debt" he says he owes New York City for relief money given to him.

Mr. Casey, who supports a wife and a boy, sent the City Treasurer a $5 money order. He said his cab is averaging $25 to $30 a week and that he will pay the "debt" off in small sums.

He wrote that he usually has a "dollar or two to spare" at the end of the week.

SIR L. COHEN'S £299,000

Estate valued at £299,169 (n.p. £250 683) was left by Sir Leonard Lionel Cohen, of Sussex-square, W., and Wellingrove, near Rickmansworth, formerly a partner in Louis Cihen and Sons, stockbrokers and bankers, for 20 years president of the Jewish Board of Guardians and a director of the Bengal and North-Western and the Rohilkund and Kumaon Railway Cos. Estate duty of £75,487 has been paid.

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JAPANESE FACING FLOOD ON DRIVE TO HANKOW

Large Areas On Yangtse's North Bank Submerged

Hankow, August 4.

The Japanese drive on Wuhan is threatened by a serious flood which is developing on the north bank of the Yangtse River.

Large fighting areas are submerged in water, due to heavy rainfall and the overflow of the Yangtse. Kunlungchen, in the suburbs of Huangmei, where fighting is going on, is totally flooded.

In view of the flood, the main bulk of the Chinese troops in the Huangmei sector has moved to higher places. They have taken up strong positions at Erlangho and Tingchienyi, and Shuangchenyi, points northeast and northwest of Huangmei.

The lull on the Kiukiang front continues. Chinese troops at Kuling and Singtse, on the west bank of Poyang Lake, are strengthening their defence works.

DAY OF HEAVY LOSSES

Yesterday was a day of heavy losses for the Japanese. A Japanese warship was heavily damaged, 14 Japanese planes were destroyed and six Japanese airmen captured alive as the result of a Chinese air raid over Anking and a dogfight over the Wuhan cities, according to an official check-up.

Many Japanese planes are believed to have been damaged on the ground when Chinese aircraft raided the aerodrome at Anking in the morning.—(Central News).

SEVEN WRECKED PLANES FOUND

Hankow, Aug. 4.

Seven of the 12 Japanese planes which were shot down by Chinese airmen during the dogfight over Wuhan yesterday have been located, and four Japanese airmen have been captured, according to the military Aviation Headquarters.

Two of the ill-fated machines were found at Sihchow and two others at Kiayu in the vicinity of Hankow. The remaining three were discovered at Kingkow, Tachachow and Nanhu respectively.

Of the four Nipponese airmen captured alive, one was caught at Kiayu and the remaining three at Huanglichi near Hankow.

BURST IN FLAMES

It is now learned that during the air battle over Nanhu, one of the Chinese pursuit planes collided with a Japanese machine. The Japanese craft burst in flames in mid-air and crashed, the airmen being all killed. The Chinese pilot, however, bailed out in his parachute and landed safely on the ground.

A later report states that the wreckage of another Japanese bomber has been located at Sihtien, southeast of Sinchen in Honan. The two Japanese airmen have been captured and will shortly be escorted to Hankow.—(Central News).

ASSURANCES GIVEN

London, August 4.

The Time Paris correspondent says that in an interview with M. Bonnet, M. Surits, the Soviet Ambassador, was at pains to establish the claim of his Government to complete innocence of any responsibility for the outbreak of hostilities at Changkufeng and is believed have declared that while his Government is determined to allow no infringement of their rights it is anxious to prevent the conflict from spreading.—(Reuter).

Workers Fight Floods

REPAIRING DYKES SPEEDILY

Chengchow, August 4.

Forty thousand workers are busily engaged in draining the flood waters and repairing the dykes in the Chengchow area.

Mr. Wang Yu-chun, Chairman of the Yellow River Conservancy Commission, arrived here yesterday to inspect the flooded areas and to direct flood-prevention work.—(Central News).

OLD MAN DONATES SAVINGS

Hankow, August 4.

Mr. Yuan Ku-chen, 78-year old resident of Chenliu, 12 miles southeast of Kaifeng, Honan, has donated his entire savings of $3,900 for the relief of flood refugees.—(Central News).

GENERAL CHANG CHUN

See Home Province After 18 Years

Chungking, August 4.

General Chang Chun, the newly appointed director of the Generalissimo's Provisional Headquarters in Chungking, arrived here from Hankow by plane yesterday and will assume his post tomorrow.

Shortly after his arrival, he called on Mr. Lin Sen, Chairman of the National Government.

A native of Szechuen, General Chang expressed joy at returning to his home province after 18 years' absence.—(Central News).

FOREIGN SYMPATHY AND ASSISTANCE FOR CHINA

Hankow, August 4.

Madame Chiang Kai-shek has been advised by Mrs. Theo Naftel, Secretary of the International Co-operative Women's Guild, that the members of the Kingsway Women's Co-operative Guild, a large branch in the Manchester district, decided at its last meeting to ask the International Guild to convey to Chinese women sincere wishes for a happy future for themselves and their country.

"They hope that the present difficult situation will be replaced by the conditions all co-operators desire," Mrs. Naftel said in her letter to China's First Lady.—(Central News).

DANISH LEADERS HELP

Hankow, August 4.

Under the auspices of the International Student Service, a Committee composed of many prominent personalities from Danish scientific and industrial circles has issued an appeal for assistance to Chinese students, according to information from the local Danish Consulate.

"Present conditions in China are extremely critical for the students, as most of the universities are situated in the war-torn districts," says the appeal of the Committee which is headed by Mrs. Else Zeuthen.

IRREPLACEABLE MATERIAL

"Urgent efforts are now being made to save as much as possible of libraries and laboratories and to establish the same further inland in order to enable the refugee students to continue their studies.

"Partly to assist in the efforts to preserve irreplaceable material, which would otherwise be destroyed, and partly to alleviate the suffering of the students through destitution, the Committee earnestly appeals 'for immediate support in the form of monetary contributions.'"—(Central News).

CARE FOR ORPHAN REFUGEES

Hankow, August 4.

Members of the Fifth Squadron of the Chinese Air Force have donated shirts and a large quantity of mosquito incense and medicine to the Association For Care of Orphan Refugees.

In view of the increasing numbers of orphan refugees arriving in Hankow from various war areas, the Association has sent requests to the public for donations of useful articles for these young victims of war.

In the meantime, plans have been made to send these youthful refugees to places further inland. The first batch of 700 left today by train for Changsha en route to Changteh and Chiencheng, where they will be put under the care of orphanages.—(Central News).

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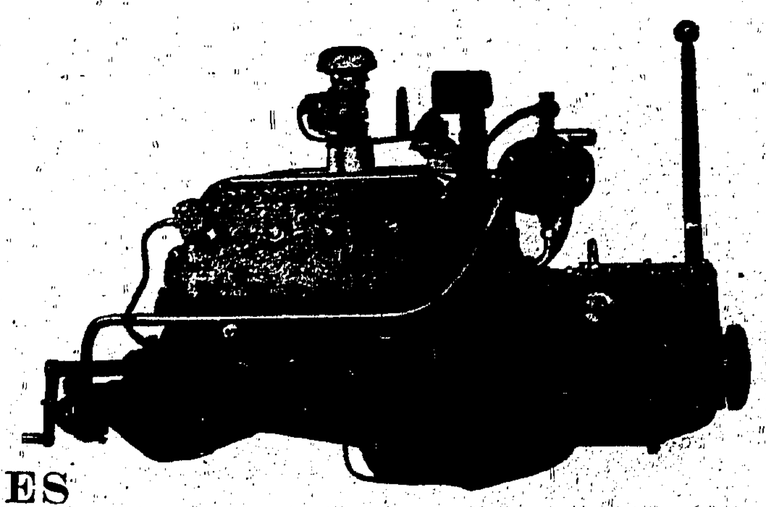

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PASS:—Au Yan Chiu, Chan Jit Yuen, Chan Mo Tong, Chan Sun Kwai, Chan Yuen Ching, Cheng Mo Chun, Cheung Hang Kit, Fung Lau Hing, Ho Kam Yue, Hui Po Chun, Iu Sui Tong, Kong Suk Chun, Kwan Wan Fun, Kwong Pui Ching, Li Chiu Tang, Li Foo Man, Lo Sien Oi, Tam Mei Chee, Tse Ho Tai, Tsoh Sze Wai, Tsoi Shiu Ying, Yu Oi Hing.

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HONOURS:—Victoria Arias, Jenny Kwok, Catherine Lee.

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PASS:—Ruby Choy, Choy Wing Kin, Ho Yee Kwan, May Lai, Aimee Lee, Leung Wai Ying, Li Wai Man, Ng Ng Kei Ching, Tong Kwan Shue.

HOLY SPIRIT SCHOOL

PASS:—Frances Au, Lilian Ip, Beatrice Law, Helen Lee, Betty Lo, Emily Sham, Eulalia So.

YING WA GIRLS' SCHOOL

PASS:—Chan Chee Ping, Chan Sui Tong, Fong Chung Kin, Li Ngan Wo, Sung Ngan Wai, Szeto Shuk Yin, Tang Kwai Ying, Woo Lai Saan.

MARYKNOLL CONVENT SCHOOL

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PASS:—Alberta Chow, Agnes Leigh.

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HONOURS: — Christina Chow, Christine Corra, Natalia Fontana, Filomena Lau, Joyce Lee, Sheila Rodrigues.

PASS:—Theresa Ho, Ruby Hsu, Helen Lam, Theresa Lee, Veronica Lee, Millicent Leong, Manuela da Luz, Cecilia Passos, Margaret Tang, Helen Teresa Wong, Belinda Xavier.

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DIOCESAN GIRLS' SCHOOL

HONOURS:—Daphne Ho.

PASS:—Margaret Ahwee, Louise Benoist, Rebecca Chan, Renee Chan, Mary Rose Choy, Nelly Chung, Kathleen Dedeoglou, Amy Fung, Beatrice Greaves, June Hall, Emily Heui, Ellen Hunt, Lily Kong, Helen Poon, Marie Priscilla Spencer, Rose Tam, Hannah Tang, Frances Eleanor Whitfield, Leander Wong, Jean Woo.

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KING'S COLLEGE

HONOURS:—Fok Koon Hung, Hang Fu Shan, Benny Ho, Leung Wai Kwan, Mok Yuk Sun, Wong Ki Lun.

PASS:—Au Ka Hock, Au She Ho, Au Yue Wing, Chan Hung Fei, Chan Ki Yick, Cheng Shiu Mo, Cheung Hung Fat, Cheung Mun Wah, Cheung Nien Cho, Cheung Yen Hoi, Ching To Sing, Chiu Sik Hung, Choi Ying Cheung, Fong Yat Tung, Owen Fox, Fung Yam Tong, Heui In Ying, Ho Hon, Ho Yuen Piu, Ip Shing Fat, Kung Ying Fun, Kwan Hon Ning, Kwan Pun Ming, Kwok Wing Ying, Lai Loong To, Carl Lam, Lam Ka Cheung, Lam Ping Kong, Lam Shui Yuen, Lam Yun Chin, Lau Kai Ming, Lee Cheung Fat, Lee Chi Nam, Lee Dock, Leung Iu Sin, Li Kwok Lin, Lok Kin Cheung, Lui But Chung, Lui Chi Chui, Lui Fook Tong, Lum Moh Sam, Mak Chik Ming, Mak Kah Wo, Man Cho Chiu, Mok Fook Cheung, Mok Hing Piu, Pun Man Tung, Tam Kwong Lam, Tam Wah Hon, To Shui Nung, Tse King Cheong, Tung Shiu Ki, David Wong, Wong Kin Gun, Wong Kwok Shuen, Wong Shiu Man, Wong Sik Yin, Wong Yuk Hon, Woo Pui Kwan, Yeung Ming Hon, Yu Kwok Jim, Wong Ka Lun.

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PASS:—Chan Pui Lam, Chan Woot Yung, Chong Koon Kwong, Pow Man Chuen, Tsoi Kai Hon, Yeung Kai Chi.

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PASS:—Aziz Ahmed, Au Kim Fong, Ramzan Ali Bux, Sheik Elahee Bux, Chan Kam Kwong, Chan Kwok Cheung, Chan Kwok Leung, Chan Ping Hung, Chan Sze Ning, Cheung Kwai Fong, Chiu Wai Chung, Chun Chiu Tei, Chun Kam Wai, Chung Chung Kim, Fung Hon Lun, Fung Ngok Leung, Ho Chic Kong, Ho Hok Hoi, Ho Hung Sun, Leung Hon Hung, Leung Hon Ming, Leung Ka Kuen, Leung Siu Chun, Li Chak Sang, Li Kat On, Li Man King, Li Shing Ngai, Lo Poi Ying, Lo Tak Cheung, Mak Kwong Sing, Ng Chi Hang, Ng Sui Ching, Pang But Kwan, Tang Hon Huen, Tang Wing Kai, Tsang Ping Him, Wong Kam Chiu, Wong Kau Kuen, Wong Kwong Sing, Peter Wong, Yeung An Wah, Yeung Chi Keung, Yeung Chung Pui, Yeung Wah Chow, Young Woon Lam Yuen So Kwong.

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HONOURS:—Li Fook Chu, Tsang Shiu Woon.

PASS:—Zaman el Aslami Abbas, Francis Ayam, Chan Kwok Chong, Chan Po Kuen, Chan Sze Hin, Chiu Yat Sing, Chong Hee Yean, Alberto Pedro Gomes, Francis William Harder, Jr., Ho Hung Shu, Ip Tai Chu, George Kabakoff, Kan Yuet Fai, Victor Karpushoff, James Keeble, Li Yuet Kiu, Liu Wai Yung, Luk Fook Kiu, Ma Lam Chan, Mak Wai Fong, Karlos Francis Marcal, Mau Yan Sang, James O'Young, Ernest Paterson, Enrico Murel Rosario, Karmindar Singh, Siu Che Yuk, Tang Kam Shing, William Edward Tavares, Joseph Wan, Wong Chung Ning, Wong Kai Cheong, Wong Shui Sing, Wong Siu Yip, Wong Yung Kay, Benedict Young.

WAH TAI COLLEGE

PASS:—Au Chi Lap, Lo Man Hoi, Sung She Fook.

LA SALLE COLLEGE

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YING WA COLLEGE

PASS:—Chan Kwok Ping, Chan Wai Tong, Chan Yuk Kuen, Chu Kai Shun, Hon Tung Yuen, Kong Hoi Kit, Loo Yee Ming, Man Hung Hang, Ng Wai Choi, Tom Hing Tuang, Tsui Yu Shing.

MUNSANG COLLEGE

PASS:—Chow Shin Thong, Choy Lun, Kwong Jeung Cho, Lam Wing Chuen, Wong Kai Cheung.

TWO CHINESE CONCERTS

Proceeds For War Relief

The Great Hall of the University will be the venue of two concerts of ancient Chinese music to be given tomorrow and Sunday at 9 p.m. by Prof. Wei Chung-loh, of the Tai Tung Musical Association of Shanghai, and other local artists.

The entire proceeds from the concerts will be devoted to the relief of wounded soldiers and refugees, and the prices of admission are $3, $2 and $1.

Held under the auspices of the Hong Kong Chinese Women's Relief Association, the concerts promise to be very successful.

FELICITATIONS TO QUEEN

On the occasion of the birthday of Queen Elizabeth, the following telegram of felicitation was sent to the Secretary of State for the Colonies:—

"Grateful if you will convey to Her Majesty the Queen the loyal and hearty congratulations and good wishes of all communities in Hong Kong on the occasion of her birthday."

SHIPS DRESSED

Celebrating the birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth yesterday, all naval vessels in harbour were dressed overall till sunset.

A Royal salute was fired at noon from H.M.S. Tamar and the guard paraded.

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CHINESE ARTISTS' FEDERATION

ORGANISATION WORK COMPLETED

The work of organising the Chinese Artists' National Federation has been completed in Hankow, where the headquarters will be situated. There will be three official centres of the Federation, in Canton, Hong Kong and Sian.

Mr. Jack Chen, in a report from Hankow, writes: "There are already over 300 members enrolled. On the instruction of the National Federation in Hankow, a delegation composed of Miss Ting Ling, the novelist, Wu Ko, the cartoonist, and myself are proceeding to Sian for the purpose of inaugurating the Sian centre of the Federation."

According to the latest information, the delegation spent 10 days in Sian and left on July 23 for a tour of the northwestern front. They took with them also medical supplies for the Red Cross bases.

LOCAL HEALTH

The health returns for the 24 hours ended midnight Wednesday show seven cases of cholera, three cases each of dysentery and enteric fever and one case each of measles and cerebro-spinal meningitis.

Cholera cases notified now total 261.

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

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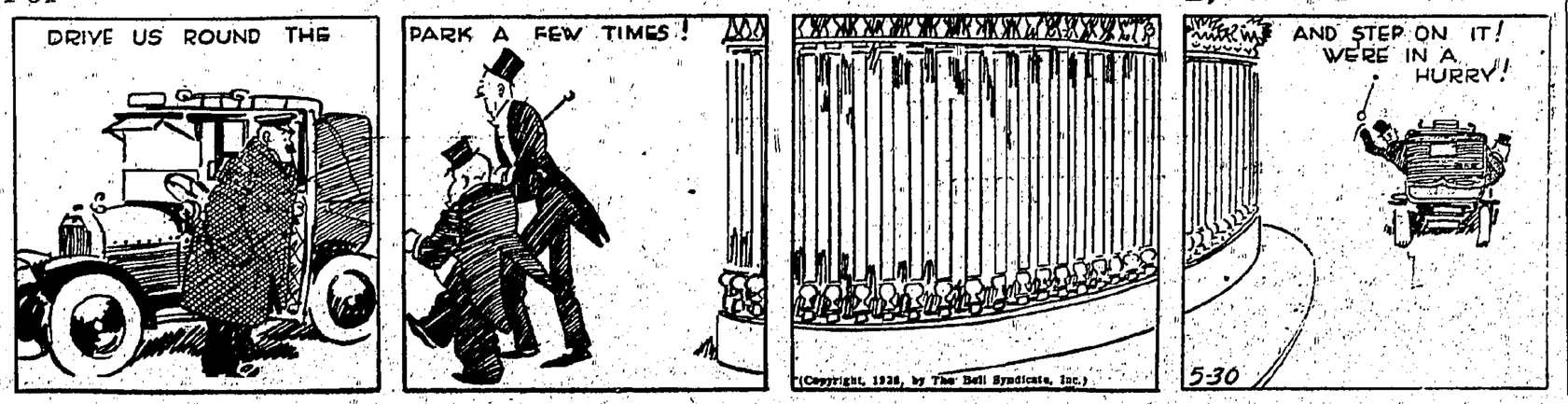

CHINESE SURROUNDING SINKIANG

Sian, August 4.

Military reports received from the Shansi front reveal that the Chinese are surrounding the Japanese at Sinkiang, west of Kuwo, on three sides.

Fierce fighting between the two contending forces has taken place outside the town in the past two days with the Japanese suffering heavily. Nearly one half of the 200 Japanese garrison soldiers at Hsiakutsun are reported to have been annihilated by the Chinese.

A section of the Tungpu Railway south of Linfen has been damaged by Chinese mobile bands, rendering Japanese transportation along the line extremely difficult.—(Central News).

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE.

HONG KONG & WHAMPOA DOCK CO., LTD.

During my absence from the Colony, Mr. E. L. Hosie will act as Chief Manager of the Company.

By Order of the Board,
E. COCK,
Chief Manager.

Hong Kong, 5th August, 1938.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 8th day of August, 1938, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Ma Tau Chung, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the purchaser (if not the applicant), will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, ($200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale.	Registry No.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements. N.	S.	E.	W.	Contents in Square feet.	Annual Rental.	Upset Price.
			ft.	ft.	ft.	ft.		$	$
1	Kowloon Inland Lot No. 4032.	Ma Tau Chung Road, Ma Tau Chung.	As per sale plan				About 45,000	516	29,250

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Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, ($200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

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			ft.	ft.	ft.	ft.		$	$
3	New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 2697 Adjoining New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 2693 Tai Po Road Shamshuipo.	As per sale plan.					About 5,200	60	11,700

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AN INTERIM DIVIDEND of ONE DOLLAR AND TWENTY FIVE CENTS per share for the six months ended 30th June, 1938, will be payable on MONDAY, 22nd AUGUST, 1938, on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Office, 3, Chater Road.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the REGISTER OF SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, 8th AUGUST, 1938, to SATURDAY, 20th AUGUST, 1938 (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
B. C. FIELD,
Acting Secretary.

Hong Kong, 30th July, 1938.

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PROCLAMATION

issued by

THE TAX BUREAU
of the First Area under
THE KWANGTUNG FINANCE DEPARTMENT

We have received instructions from the Kwangtung Finance Department to the following effect:—

"In accordance with records on file, a transit tax should be levied on all goods passing the locality. It is our understanding that goods are sometimes shipped to Hunan and Hankow direct from Kowloon by train. On passing through this province, a transit tax should be levied on such goods in accordance with regulations in order that a large amount of revenue may not dwindle. However, there may be considerable inconvenience felt by the merchants who are required to pay the transit tax in Canton, whereas these goods are shipped by trains at Kowloon. For the sake of convenience to the merchants, we have decided to establish an office at Shumchun for the special purpose of collecting this tax, so that merchants can pay it at the spot. The rate of transit tax on all goods will be 60% of the Customs duty paid on such goods."

Pursuant to the above, it has been decided that effective as from the 15th JULY, 27th Year of the Chinese Republic, our office at Shumchun will begin to function.

In addition to notifying all concerned, this proclamation is issued with a view to its being noted by all Chinese and foreign merchants as well. Should they have goods forwarded to Hunan and Hankow by train from Kowloon hereafter, after paying the Customs duty, they are requested to send their men with funds together with the Customs papers to pay the transit tax to our office at Shumchun.

In order to ensure that there will be no delay, no objection to pay this tax shall be tolerated.

CHOW SING NAM,
Director of the Tax Bureau of the First Area.

July 13, 27th Year of the Chinese Republic.

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The last day of entry for the forthcoming examination in Theory will be 27th August, 1938. Entry forms may be obtained from the Local Secretary.

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FAIR TRADE FOR BRITAIN

THE foreign trade of Great Britain for the first six months of 1938 has shrank, both the imports and exports, the latter by over seven per cent.

As a result the adverse balance of trade is £11,000,000 larger than it was at the end of June 1937.

The inference is not that the stability of the pound is necessarily being endangered. That depends on the balance of payments not of Great Britain alone, but of the whole "sterling area" comprised in the British Commonwealth.

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RAW DEAL FOR MANUFACTURERS

THE conclusion which will suggest itself to common-sense people is that, having at long last forged, in the 1932 General Tariff, an adequate weapon to protect our trading interests, we are neglecting to make full use of it.

As matters stand, British manufacturers are still having a raw deal—in two directions.

First, in the home market they are exposed to unfair competition from foreign goods which are either made under sweated conditions of labour or are sold at prices artificially reduced by concealed subsidies, direct or indirect.

Anti-dumping legislation to reinforce our tariff is urgently needed.

Secondly, British exporters are suffering from the fact that, as a nation, we complacently allow foreign countries to go on selling to us much more than they buy.

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TARIFF AS A BARGAINING LEVER

LAST year, for instance, six European countries—Germany, Russia, Belgium, Holland, Sweden and Finland—sold to Britain £100,000,000 more than they bought. And in many cases British goods are being frozen out by the same sort of foreign dumping as hits our industries at home.

The Government, as the Federation of British Industries rightly urges, should use our tariff more vigorously as a bargaining lever in negotiations with countries who want to sell to us without proportionate buying.

Let us frame a tariff based on these three guiding principles—maximum freedom of entry for Empire goods; a middle rate of duty for countries which reciprocate by fair treatment for British goods in their markets; maximum duties for countries which persist in taking the pounds which they get from sales in Britain and using them to make their purchases elsewhere.

THE WEATHER

Although the morning was cool the temperature yesterday took an upward trend in the afternoon, reaching 85.9 degrees as compared with 84 on Wednesday.

The lowest was 79 compared with 82.

Rain again fell, but the amount was insignificant.

WATER POLO MATCH ENDS IN DRAW

South China And Chinese B.C.

The water polo match arranged under the auspices of the Chinese Amateur Athletic Federation to decide the champion Chinese water polo team of the Colony was played between C.B.C. "A" and S.C.A.A. "A" yesterday at the Chinese Bathing Club, resulting in a draw, no score being registered.

Last year, the Chinese Bathing Club team were champions with the S.C.A.A. as runners-up. South China's team has since improved greatly, having undergone rigorous training, and it came as a surprise to the spectators when the game ended in a draw yesterday.

Yesterday's match was the first game between these two teams who are to play two games to decide the issue.

The second game will be played on August 20 at the South China Athletic Association's bathing shed.

The following were the teams in yesterday's game:—

S.C.A.A.:—Chu Shin-woon, Ng Yee-man, Poon Yun-leung, Lee Kee-yeung, Lo Hung-shi, Wong Chi-hung, Leung Chan-wah.

C. B. C.:—Po King-fook, Ricky Chan, Lau Yau-chung, Fung Kwok-wah, Chung Ho-fook, Robert Chan Lam Yau-ting.

OPIUM FOUND IN BASKETS OF FRUIT

Yu Shun and Chung Ip carried baskets of inoffensive lung ngan as they alighted from the incoming Canton-to-Kowloon night train on August 2. Revenue Officer E. T. Warden was at the station to meet the train with a party of searchers. Yu Shun and Chung Ip were searched.

The basket of the former contained 35 taels of raw opium, the basket of the latter contained 26 taels.

At the Kowloon Court yesterday, before Mr. Macfadyen, Yu Shun was fined $600, in default six months' hard labour, and Chung Ip was fined $500, in default five months' hard labour.

OPIUM OFFENCES

Lai Wai, a 72-year-old unemployed, was charged before Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday with possession of opium and keeping an opium divan at Bonham Strand East. A fine of $200 or a month's imprisonment was imposed on the first charge and a further month, with the alternative of a fine of $70, was imposed on the second count, the sentences to run concurrently.

Charged with the possession of about 20,000 heroin pills, Ma Yuen, 24, unemployed, was remanded for a week. Bail of $10,000 was granted.

THEFT OF DIAMONDS

Mr. Butters at the Central Court yesterday granted a remand of one week, on the application of Chief Detective Inspector M. Murphy, when the case against a man named Tuang Joon-khee, alias Tuang Ah-hee, 40, unemployed, appeared on charges of housebreaking and theft of diamonds in Singapore on or before July 29, 1938.

MARRIAGE AT REGISTRY

Mr. Li Chung, compradore to the Officers' Mess, Murray Barracks, and Miss Pearline Ho, teacher were married before Mr. W. Aneurin Jones at the Registry, Supreme Court, yesterday.

Messrs. Li Tsan-san and Ho Kwan-suen witnessed the ceremony.

SOON TO WED

The forthcoming marriage is announced of Mr. Kai Tze-loh, editor of the Chinese Times, of Sydney, N.S.W. Australia and Miss Mavis Leonie Quing Foo, school teacher, of Melbourne, Victoria, Australia.

Another forthcoming marriage is that of Mr. Mok Tin-sze, Chinese doctor, residing at No. 485 Nathan Road, and Miss Cheng Lai-sze, of No. 8 South Lane, first floor.

Women Saved From Two Dangers

Lord Horder believes that an alteration of the law in regard to abortion is unlikely, but feels that the Bourne case, in which he was a witness, has demonstrated the advantage of elasticity in the law and the importance attaching to consideration of the individual case on its merits. The doctor enjoys the protection of the law so long as he can prove good faith and reasonable care and competence, he points out.

That is made clear in an article which he contributes to the current issue of the "Spectator."

"It is pertinent to inquire how the Bourne action will affect in actual life that mass of material which I might characterise as constituting the sub rosa class of abortion cases, for it is these which cause the gravest concern to the doctor, the sociologist, and the thinking public," observes Lord Horder.

"Is it too much to hope that quite an appreciable number of this class will be increasingly brought into the open? For many young women may now avail themselves of advice for seeking which they need feel no qualm nor any hesitation as to getting a "fair deal"—honest, decent women, each with her own individual problem involving the responsibility or damage to health of mind or body or both.

"Such a woman will now incline more naturally to consult her doctor, whereas formerly the tendency was to gravitate into the net of the professional abortionist. It may well be that in some cases the result of seeking such advice from a wise practitioner, and of getting efficient treatment of body and mind, may cause a new orientation towards the expected child.

"And should the diagnosis point to the need for abortion, the patient is rescued from the double dangers of sepsis, and the more insidious mental poison of having been a party to a rather shabby transaction.

"Doubtless there will still be an irreducible minimum of cases that will keep the professional abortionist in business. The law of supply and demand will unfortunately ensure this."

NINETEEN PEOPLE

WITH BUT ONE OBJECT!

Tang Yu and Wong Cheung lived at 137 Temple Street, first floor. At 8 p.m. on August 2, a police raid on the house surprised the two men and 19 others engrossed in a game of pai kau.

Table money seized amounted to $40.04.

The different professions represented among the nineteen arrestees were: room-boy, ironer, seaman, boy, nightsoil-coolie, shopkeeper, hat-maker, stall-foki, coolie, hawker, and foki. To make the list more complete, four unemployed men and a widow were amongst those present.

At the Kowloon Court yesterday, before Mr. Macfadyen, Tang Yu and Wong Cheung were each fined $75, the nineteen gamblers were each fined $2, and $40.04 was ordered placed in the poor box.

POLICE OFFICERS CHARGED

Committal proceedings were continued before Mr. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Cout yesterday in the case against five members of the Hong Kong Police, charged with attempted extortion of sums of $20 and $10 from two mahjong school proprietors.

The five men charged are Charles Hossack Telfer, Leung Chi, Mak Kong-iu, Sun Kui, and Pun King-cheung, all formerly attached to the Emergency Unit, Kowloon.

Mr. Abbott, Assistant Crown Solicitor, is replacing Mr. L. R. Andrewes in conducting the case for the prosecution. Mr. Leo D'Almada, Sr. is appearing in defence of Telfer, Mr. C. A. Sutherlin Russ in defence of the other four defendants.

Several witnesses, all fokis of the Tai Loi and Kai Kee mahjong schools on Temple Street, were heard yesterday. They corraborated one another in the story of having seen a squad of police constables, led by a European sergeant, who had spoken with their masters.

Hearing of the case will continue through the afternoons of August 5, 8, and 9.

SNATCHER TO BE BANISHED

Six months' imprisonment with hard labour was the sentence passed by Mr. Barnett at the Kowloon Court yesterday on Chan Kan, arrested by two Portuguese gentlemen as he was running away from Liberty Avenue where he had snatched a handbag off Mrs. A. C. Botelho.

The two gentlemen, who caught the snatcher in a Chinese cemetery near Pui Ching College, were Messrs. Robert Castro and C. F. Remedios. The handbag had been thrown away but a small purse containing $38.46 was found on Chan's person.

Defendant was also recommended for banishment.

UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS

The following unclaimed telegrams are lying at the offices of Cable and Wireless Ltd.:—

Nag; Jacobs, Eng. Officer, s.s. Sirdhana; Shinn, s.s. Anhui, B. and S.; Arbour; Dyal Singh, Sikhs Temple; American Associated Industries; Nihalchand, c/o Watanmal.

SAVING BRITAIN'S COASTAL BEAUTY

Deputation To Minister

Mr. Walter Elliot, Minister of Health, recently heard pleas for the preservation of Britain's coastal beauty and for the prevention of the extension of "bungaloid growths" which threaten to disfigure many seaside areas.

The Minister received a deputation led by Lord Merthyr, which was representative of the National Trust, the Commons, Open Spaces and Footpaths Preservation Society and the Council for the Preservation of Rural England.

An official communiqué stated that Mr. Elliot told the deputation that questions of compensation and financial help, and those suggestions which involved legislation raised many difficult problems, but he thought that much could be achieved by administrative action.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The chairman of his Advisory Committee on Town Planning, Sir John Maude, had told him that the Committee would be likely to make several recommendations affecting the planning and preservation of the coast.

Mr. Elliot added that he hoped to be able to make further arrangements for guiding local authorities.

He thought that the results which could be achieved, without the payment of crippling compensation, by planning had been underestimated. He was advised that, provided building space sufficient to meet public demand was allowed in selected sites on the coast, the Town Planning Act would go far to authorise restriction of building in between selected sites without the payment of compensation.

SHIPS IN HARBOUR

WHARVES

Kowloon.—Peter Maersk, Bencruachan, Nellore and Friderun.
Holt's.—Glenshiel.
Douglas.—Hai Tan.
P. C. M.—Athelqueen.
West Point.—Wing Sang.
Yaumati.—Chang On, Indira, Kaiapoi Turul and Forafric.
Kowloon Bay.—Yiollo.
Quarry Bay.—Muncaster Castle.

DOCKS

Kowloon.—Hatthor, Ho Sang, Habrot and Monte Plana.
Cosmopolitan.—Apoey.
Taikoo.—Anhui, Anshun, Unita, Caslana, Nord, Sygna, Tegelberg and Yingchow.

BUOYS

No. A 5.—Hong Kheng.
No. A 7.—Tjibadak.
No. A11.—Tyndareus.
No. B 2.—Tak Sang.
No. B 6.—Michael Jebsen.
No. B 8.—Lee Sang.
No. B10.—G. G. Paul Doumer.
No. B15.—Holhow.
No. B21.—Taiyuan.

AUSTRALIAN SCIENTISTS TO PROBE MYSTERY OF SIMPSON DESERT

Skeletons Found Believed To Be Those Of Members Of Expedition In 1848

Adelaide, August 4.

Several Australian scientists will leave in a few days time for the Simpson Desert in the centre of the continent to examine a group of eight skeletons just discovered by Mr. Stockman and believed to be those of the members of the expedition that started in 1848 under the leadership of the German naturalist, Herr Ludwig Leichhardt, to attempt to cross the continent from the east to the west but were never heard of again.

Herr Leichhardt's disappearance has remained to this day one of the unsolved mysteries of early Australian expeditions. So great is the public interest that the Government of South Australia has itself organised the present expedition.

The skeletons appear to have laid buried in the sand for many decades and were laid bare in exceptionally heavy rains. A remarkable fact is that all the skeletons, except one found two miles away, were lying in a circle as though the men seated around the camp fire had been murdered by the natives except one who temporarily escaped.

What the present expedition will have to establish is first whether the skeletons are those or not because the aborigines also frequently sit around a fire in the same manner. In any case the cause of the sudden death in that position suggests a mystery.

The expedition on which Herr Leichhardt disappeared was his third in Australia. The first was from Darling to Port Essington, far in North Australia. The second was an attempt to cross Australia from the east to the west, which completely failed. To retrieve his reputation, Herr Leichhardt then made the third and final attempt from which neither he nor a member of his expedition had ever returned.—(Transocean).

DECREE ISSUED BY BLUECHER

Foreigners To Leave Habarovsk

Yenan, August 4.

Marshal Vassily Bluecher, Commander-in-Chief of the Soviet Far Eastern Army, has issued a decree ordering all foreigners to leave the Habarovsk and Vladivostok naval centres within forty-eight hours as a means to prevent espionage.

Aliens are forbidden to travel over the trans-Siberian Railway without a special visa from the military authorities.

Fearing complications arising from the Soviet-Japanese tension over the violation of Siberian territory by the Japanese, Marshal Bluecher has also ordered that wives and families of all soldiers should be sent away from the Far Eastern defence district.—(International).

COURT-MARTIAL FOR BLUECHER?

Paris, August 4.

The frontier skirmishes near Changkufeng have openly revealed the personal antagonism between M. Stalin and the Commander-in-Chief of the Soviet Far Eastern Army, Marshal Bluecher, the paper Le Jour learns.

To rid himself of Marshal Bluecher, M. Stalin, who is anxious to localise the conflict with Japan, allegedly intends to place the Marshal before a court-martial for "exceeding his powers and gross negligence."

The French paper, however believes that the removal of Marshal Bluecher would be entirely impossible at the present moment since it would completely demoralise the Red Army. Nevertheless, M. Stalin is said to be prepared to waive all such objections in order to maintain his personal power and to eliminate Marshal Bluecher.

As Marshal Bluecher's likely successor to the post of Commander-in-Chief in the Far East, Le Jour mentions General Fedko, Chief Adjutant of War Commissar, General Voroshilov.—(Transocean)

INUNDATION OF CHENGCHOW FEARED

Shanghai, August 4.

The floods on the Hwangho and the Yangtse Kiang have assumed catastrophic proportions, according to the latest reports received here yesterday, which state that the flood waters reached a point near Chengchow, where the Lunghai and the Peiping-Hankow Railways cross and that gravest fears are entertained for the safety of the town of Chengchow where artillery bombardments have caused a serious havoc to the dykes.

Japanese reports assert that the Chinese blew up a section of the dykes on the north shore of the Yangtse, opposite to Kiukiang, causing the country to be inundated as far as Hwangmei so that Japanese operations in this area have been seriously handicapped. This probably explains the fact that no official announcement has been issued regarding the capturing of Hwangmei.—(Transocean).

CHOLERA RAGES IN WEST HUNAN

Yuanling, August 4.

Grave concern is felt by the health authorities over the cholera epidemic in west Hunan, which has now spread to Fenghuang, Yungsui, Luki and many other districts.

Despite strict precautionary measures, the epidemic spread rapidly and a large number of cases of fatality has been reported.

To cope with the situation, the provisional office of the Experimental Health Station here has appointed Mr. Shen Tso-chuan to make an investigation trip to the affected districts.—(Central News).

"OFFER GOLD" SONG

New Composition By Sitson Ma

Mr. Sitson Ma, famous Chinese violin virtuoso, has composed an "Offer Gold Movement Song" which will be sung in Canton when the "Offer Gold" movement is launched there on August 13.

Picked choruses are practising this song at the Provincial Mass Education Institute in Canton.

The words of Mr. Ma's song were supplied by Mr. Leong Han-chao.

WORK FOR JAPANESE IN NORTH CHINA

Peiping, August 4.

Japanese in North China who came for jobs will be given work as assistants in all district governments, provided they have a fair knowledge of Chinese, the puppet Provisional Government decided.

Some of the appointees will be selected *from* Japanese pacification agents in North China, and others will be given special training for two months before taking up their positions.

The salary is much higher than that paid in Japan, and encouragement is given to young university graduates to take up these posts.—(International).

KWEILIN RAIDED

Canton, August 4.

Kweilin was raided by three Japanese planes this afternoon when about twelve bombs were dropped. There are no details of the damage or casualties.—(Reuter).

CHINA CAMPAIGN

Mrs. C. R. Attlee on parade in London.

CHINESE GAIN IN HOPEI

Chengchow, August 4.

Following a fierce attack, Chinese forces reoccupied Antze, southeast of Peiping in Hopei, on Monday, a belated military report reveals. The Japanese were forced to flee in a northerly direction with the Chinese in hot pursuit.

The report adds that traffic on the Peiping-Hankow Railway has been disrupted as several bridges and sections of the track near Matouchen and Hantan, in south Hopei, have been damaged by Chinese guerillas.

More than 700 Manchukuo irregulars in Miaoklachwan, Hopei, revolted and joined the Chinese.—(Central News).

JAPANESE TROOP MOVEMENTS

Sian, August 4.

A high military official revealed today that 8,000 fresh troops have arrived in Linfen in south Shansi to strengthen the Japanese garrison there.

At Tsiyan and Tsiyang in north Honan, where large numbers of Japanese troops have been gathering, the strength of the invading force has been reduced to about 16,000 men.

In north central and west Shansi, the situation is unchanged.—(Central News).

STRICKEN FISHERMEN TO BE AIDED

The large number of Chinese fishermen in Kwangtung and Hong Kong who have been forced out of their jobs as a result of Japanese naval activities along the coast will be given relief by the Kwangtung Provincial Government.

Tracts of waste land along the West River valley, the Chaochow-Swatow, Yamchow-Limchow, Kochow-Liuchow areas and on Hainan Island will be marked off for the fishermen to reclaim.

In order to convert these fishermen into competent farmers, they will be given six months' training in farming before they are sent to the various districts. It is learned that the first batch of 30 local fishermen will shortly proceed to Canton to receive the necessary training.—(Central News).

Lord Runciman Appeals For Goodwill

BRITISH MEDIATOR EXPRESSES HOPES OF SETTLING PROBLEM IF PARTIES EXERCISE PATIENCE

Prague, August 4.

Lord Runciman and party arrived in Prague yesterday and was greeted by government and mayoral representatives and leaders of the Sudeten German Party.

His first public act was to receive representatives of the press. He appealed to them to foster the spirit of goodwill.

Forty years' experience, he said, had taught him that permanent peace could only be secured on the basis of mutual consent. He hoped he would be the friend of all and the enemy of none.

There were hopes of settling the trouble, said Lord Runciman, if they started work in a spirit of goodwill and exercised patience.

NEGOTIATIONS BEGIN

Negotiations between the Government and the Sudetens formally opened yesterday when the Premier, Dr. Hodza, received the Sudeten German leaders, Herr Kundt and Herr Roshe.

A communique issued afterwards announced that the conversations would be continued and the method of discussion altered only if there is any new development outside the present conditions. This is interpreted to mean that Lord Runciman's presence may entail a modification of procedure.—(Reuter).

CASES TO BE PRESENTED

Prague, August 4.

That the Czechoslovak minorities do not intend to leave Lord Runciman uninformed is indicated by an announcement that the Slovak Peoples' Party intends to present the Slovak demands to him in form of a memorandum, thus following the example of the Sudeten German Party.

The British adviser will also receive a memorandum from the United Hungarian Parties.—(Transocean).

BOWL-OF-RICE CAMPAIGN

Chungshan, Kwangtung, August 4.

A campaign has been started at Wanchai, in Chungshan district, by which every house and shop is urged to contribute a bowl of rice for the relief of war refugees.

It is pointed out that whilst this small contribution from every house and shop is not much of a burden, the total quantity collected will be sufficient to feed a large number of refugees.—(Central News).

PROSPECTIVE NAVAL BASE

Canton, August 4.

Kam Ran Bay, in Indo-China, may be used as a naval base in the event of emergency, according to a report in the Canton Daily Sun.

The Russian Baltic fleet called there on its way to Vladivostok recently.

The Canton Daily Sun, while unable to confirm the report revealed in its editorial comment added that the French Ambassador, M. Paul E. Naggiar, visited Indo-China in April and invited some foreign naval experts to inspect the prospective naval base.—(International).

Craigie-Ugaki Conference

FINDING GROUNDS FOR NEGOTIATION

Tokyo, August 4.

The conference yesterday between the British Ambassador to Japan, Sir Robert Craigie, and the Japanese Foreign Minister, General Ugaki, is declared by the Japan Times to have been of unusual importance since it was for the purpose of creating grounds for negotiations with a view of "restoring the traditional friendship" between the two countries.

The paper, which is often inspired directly by the Foreign Ministry, states that the British concern over the fate of British property in the war zones is groundless because this will all be returned to the owners as soon as peace has been restored.

A slight warning is contained in the statement to the effect that this question can naturally be dealt with satisfaction only if other powers recognise the present situation and have the evidence of willingness to cooperate with the Japanese authorities.

Continuing in this vein the paper declares: "It is regrettable that certain powers believe they are protecting their own interests by supporting Marshal Chiang."—(Transocean).

NEW POSTAL EXPERIMENT IN GERMANY

Berlin, August 4.

The German Post Office administration has, as an experiment, introduced a new formal postal service by which any member of the public, desiring to send an urgent communication to a correspondent, may step into a small room and can there dictate a message into a machine similar in principle to the dictaphone, except that the message is taken on a small flat record like a miniature gramophone record.

About three hundred words will go on each side of the record. This costs about 1-1/2 Reichsmark.

The record is simply slipped into an envelope provided, addressed, stamped and forwarded to the recipient.

For an additional 15 Pfennigs three gramophone needles in a strong cartridge can be included in the letter.—(Transocean).

SYNAGOGUE TORN DOWN FOR NAZI CONGRESS

Nuremberg, August 4.

The Jewish synagogue in Hans Sachs Platz here is to be torn down, a resolution to this effect having been passed by the town council yesterday.

The work of demolition will begin immediately, and it is planned to have all evidence of the synagogue's existence removed before opening of the National Socialist Party congress in September.

It is pointed out that the Jews in Nuremberg still have another synagogue capable of accommodating between 400 and 500 persons.—(Transocean).

PO-ON SHELLED

Canton, August 4.

A Japanese gunboat steamed near the coast and shelled the Chinese positions at Po-on this afternoon, causing no damage. Chinese batteries did not reply.

The number of Japanese naval craft along the Kwangtung coast was been further decreased to nineteen vessels today.—(Central News).

FRANCO-ITALIAN NEGOTIATIONS

Paris, August 4.

M. Bonnet, the French Foreign Minister, saw the Italian Charge D'Affaires this morning.

It is understood that there is no hope for the resumption of negotiations between France and Italy owing to the present negative attitude of the Italian Government.—(Reuter Bulletin).

ANGLO-EGYPTIAN TREATY REVISION

London, August 4.

An agreement dealing with the revision of certain provisions in the 1936 Anglo-Egyptian Treaty was initialled at the Foreign Office by Lord Halifax and the Prime Minister of Egypt.

It is understood the agreement largely deals with the financing the cost of barracks for British troops who under the Treaty are to be moved out of Cairo to Alexandria. This will run into many millions of sterling.

The question of Egypt's contribution to the defence of Sudan will be dealt with.—(Reuter).

NOT ALLOWED

Prague, August 4.

The Coecho - Slovak official gazette publishes a ruling of the Pressburg District Court forbidding the forwarding by mail of postcards showing the picture of Chancellor Hitler. The Judgment does not apply to the other districts of Czecho-Slovakia.—(Transocean).

KOWLOON CANTON RAILWAY

NOTICE

The Railway Administration's attention has been drawn to the fact that persistent efforts are still being made to induce merchants to purchase wagon space, notwithstanding the advice issued in previous notices that consignors should make direct application.

The Administration therefore appeals to bona fide merchants to apply direct giving particulars of the class of cargo they wish to ship and producing definite proof of ownership.

The Administration will welcome any information giving names and addresses of persons offering space at enhanced rates. Consignors are therefore warned to refuse all offers made to them for the sale of wagon space and to pay only those freight charges which are correct according to the regulations.

Examples		To Wu Chang	To Chang Sha
Class 1 cargo,	40-ton car-load	HK$2,013.60	$1,972.60
Class 2 cargo,	40-ton car-load	1,530.80	1,496.00
Class 3 cargo,	40-ton car-load	1,256.40	1,227.60
Class 4 cargo	40-ton car-load	1,010.00	986.80
Class 5 cargo,	40-ton car-load	767.60	750.00
Class 6 cargo,	40-ton car-load	552.00	540.40

In the event of two or more classes of cargo being conveyed in the same wagon the cargo is charged at the highest class.

Particulars as to classification may be obtained on application at Kowloon Station

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P.C. Accused Of Killing Peer's Nephew

A verdict of manslaughter against P.C. Stewart Reid, of the Liverpool Police, was recorded at the inquest in York recently on Gilbert Edward Frederick Douty, 27-year-old nephew of Lord Duiverton, chairman of the Imperial Tobacco Company.

Reid admitted that during a scene after a dance at Oswaldkirk village hall he struck Douty in self-defence. He was committed for trial at the next North and East Riding Assizes, says the Bulletin.

He was allowed bail in £50 and a surety of £50. It has not yet been decided whether any police court proceedings will be taken in the meantime.

Douty, who had attended the dance with Miss Hermione Mary Josephine Mostyn, of Haselour Hall, Tamworth, Staffordshire, died after an operation.

Dr. A. H. Visiak said there was nothing at first to indicate that there was much wrong with Douty, but a post-mortem revealed a clot in the brain, and the skull was abnormally thin.

Miss Mostyn told the Coroner that as they were driving off after the dance there was a smash of glass. Douty got out to investigate, and, on returning, said he had been "beaten-up".

Henry Harrison, employed by the Civilian Anti-Gas School, Easingwold, said that Douty's car had travelled 25 or 30 yards past them when there was a crash of glass. Douty accused him of throwing the glass, and there was a threat of blows. Later he saw Reid strike Douty.

Anthony J. Bevin, of Alexander Gate, Queen's Court, London, writter, one of Douty's party, said they took a dozen bottles of beer and a bottle of gin in a car and went to it when they wanted a drink.

Some was given out to other people. At the end there was some trouble about a bottle of beer on the top of a car, but Reid was not concerned in that. Douty was in high spirits, but was not drunk.

P.C. Lomax, who had been attending the anti-gas school, told Mr. Mitchell that Reid was of "absolutely good character," sober, and not the sort to indulge in a brawl if he could help it.

P.C. S Reid said he had nothing to do with the breaking of glass. Douty came up to him, snatched his cigarette, and threw it in his face.

"He then hit me a violent blow with his right fist on the left side of the head. I struck him back in self-defence merely to protect myself and to avoid a disturbance.

"He was very violent, appeared to have lost all control and in my opinion, had been drinking."

Douty walked back to his car unaided. He (Reid) did not think Douty had been hurt seriously. In fact, he regarded the matter as so trivial that he did not report it to his superiors.

BAN ON FOREIGN JEWS IN ITALY

Rome, August 4.

Jewish students not of Italian nationality will be excluded from Italian universities and technical schools, it was officially announced yesterday. This decree also applies to foreign Jews who have taken up residence in Italy, but no restriction will be placed on Italian Jews.—(Transocean).

BISHOP APPOINTED

Paris, August 4.

Pope Pius has appointed Monsignore Richaud as Bishop of Laval. Mgr. Richaud was born at Versailles 1887 where he had been suffragan since 1933.—(Transocean).

KWEIYANG-CHUNGKING BUS SERVICE

Kweiyang, August 4.

To facilitate communication between Kweiyang, Kweichow provincial capital, and Chungking, present seat of the National Government, a long-distance bus service between the two cities will be inaugurated on August 11.—(Central News).

BUFFER TIN POOL MANAGER

London, August 4.

Reuter understands that Mr. R. G. Mills, director of the Brazilian Warrant Agency and Finance Company, has been appointed manager of the buffer tin pool. An official announcement is expected tomorrow.—(Reuter).

ALL THE SPORTING NEWS AND NOTES

Baseball Played By Sound

AS BLIND TURN TO SPORTS

"Sound baseball," which may be best described as a cross between hockey and indoor baseball, has been promoted in Oakland, California, by Robert V. Chandler, Superintendent of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind.

The sport has become so popular, that Mr. Chandler has arranged for its formal adoption by the American Foundation for the Blind, and to have the rules of the game prepared for distribution by the Braille Institute.

The game as it is played, consists of a regulation indoor baseball diamond. At each base is a buzzer of different tone, controlled by the umpire who can see. The umpire pushes electric buttons to sound the buzzers, which serve to help the runner locate the base and to tell the sightless fielders when a runner is approaching.

A regulation hockey stick is used for a bat, and the pitcher, who is not blind, rolls the ball toward the batter, who swings at it by sound, as the ball has "jinglers" in it so that batters and fielders may locate it.

Nine fielders of the opposing team kneel behind the baselines, and upon trapping the ball, must roll it across the baseline in front of a batter or runner to make a put-out.

Double plays are not infrequent, and excitement of the game and typical arguments over close decisions are as frequent as in regular games, says Mr. Chandler.

He explained he got the idea of the game, as a result of the interest shown in baseball by inmates of the home.

"I believe the game demonstrates to the public," he said, "that it is possible for a person with the physical handicap of blindness not only to work in the various trades, but to participate in sports if certain changes are made to permit playing of the games by sound rather than by sight."—(Christian Science Monitor).

WIMBLEDON GOLF COURSE SOLD

Wimbledon Borough Council recently decided to buy from Adml. Sir Reginald Plunkett-Ernle-Erle-Drax the freehold interest in the land belonging to him and now leased to the Royal Wimbledon Golf Club, together with a further 40 acres of adjacent land.

The land is to be preserved as an open space. The purchase price is £151,000, plus solicitors' costs, and the deal is subject to a loan being sanctioned by the Ministry of Health.

Conditions of the deal are that **The Council accepts the offer of the golf club to assist in the purchase by leasing the land it now occupies for 60 years at an annual rental of £2,000; and that financial assistance from the Surrey County Council is forthcoming to the extent of 20 per cent. of the net cost of the land, after deducting the capitalised value of the annual rent to be received from the golf club.**

At the Council meeting, several amendments by Socialist members, suggesting that the price should be fixed by arbitration, and that a plebiscite should be held, were defeated.

During the proceedings a man in the public gallery, who asked, "Why don't you have a plebiscite?" was ordered out.

DEATH OF MR. J. T. BAINES

Mr. Jack T. Baines, whose death, following influenza, occurred at Cambridge recently, was for many years honorary treasurer of the Cambridge University Lawn Tennis Club, and many visiting players of international rank had experienced his hospitality.

Representing Cambridge before the war, in which he was seriously wounded, he competed in the French championships as a nominated British player, showing his mettle by defeating Tilden and Mrs. Mallory in the mixed doubles, paired with Miss E. D. Holman.

Mr. Baines, a member of the International Club, and present at the annual match against Cambridge at Fenner's, had precisely the same scholastic and sporting record at Harrow as his father, who was a contemporary of Earl Baldwin.

LADIES' GOLF

The result of the July competition for the Captain's Cup at Happy Valley is as follows:—

Mrs. Overy	107-30=77
Mrs. MacKenzie	98-19=79

The result of the Medal Pool (June-July) at Deep Water Bay are as follows:—

Mrs. Watson	41-14=27
Mrs. Margrett	41-13=28
Mrs. Lissaman	37- 8=29
Mrs. Cobb	43-14=29
Mrs. Murdock	40-10=30
Mrs. Brown	40-10=30
Mrs. Selby	42-12=30

HOCKEY MEETING

The annual general meeting of the United Hockey Clubs will be held at the European Y.M.C.A., Kowloon, on Tuesday at 6.45 p.m.

U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

New York, August 4.

The following are results of baseball matches played yesterday:

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	3	11	0
New York	8	12	1

(Ott, Bartell, Mancuso and Seeds homered for the Giants).

Pittsburgh	9	18	1
Boston	4	10	3
Pittsburgh	5	10	1
Boston	3	8	1
Cincinnati	6	10	1
Philadelphia	3	12	2

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York	10	17	2
Detroit	7	15	6

(Eleven innings were played. Ruffing and Gordon homered for the Yankees).

Boston	4	9	2
Cleveland	3	6	2
Philadelphia	14	18	0
Chicago	2	10	1

(J. Johnson homered twice for the White Sox).

Washington	3	6	2
St. Louis	5	11	0

(Clift homered for the St. Louis Browns).—(Reuter).

RUMOURS OF A BOYCOTT

AUSTRALIANS AT TRENT BRIDGE

There were rumours of a boycott when only 6,000 people paid for admission at Trent Bridge to see the Australians.

Larwood, who was not fit at the moment, had said he would not have played against the Australians even if he had been able to as he had not forgotten the rotten accusations made against his bowling in Australia

It was felt that feeling in regard to this old controversy was responsible for the poor attendance but Mr. H. A. Brown, the Notts Cricket Club secretary, described the suggestion as "a monstrous invention."

"Indeed," he added, "considering that it has been as cold as Christmas and that play was stopped three times for rain, it is surprising that as many as 6,000 people turned up."

Major-General P. J. Mackesy, who is to be the new commander of the 49th Division (West Riding) Territorial Army, is another Engineer officer of distinction. "P. J.," as he is known to friends, has taken to mechanised operations like a duck to water. In North Russia his broadest smile was when he saw Russian soldiers trained by British officers beat a British Artillery team at football.

HAMMOND AND BRADMAN

Both Have 13 Centuries

W. R. Hammond, the England captain, playing for his county, Gloucester, against Somerset, scored 101 not out in the second innings. He thus reached his 13th century for the season and in this connection it is interesting to note that D. G. Bradman, the Australian, has also 13 hundreds his credit thus far.

Bradman .... *... the wizard* (Christian Science Monitor).

It would appear, therefore, that the chances of both these batsmen beating Jack Hobb's 18 in a season are extremely bright though it is doubtful whether both or either of them will set up a new aggregate record the present one being held by Tom Hayward (3518) set up in 1906.

GRACEFUL TRIBUTE

A graceful compliment has been paid to England's captain, W. R. Hammond.

Although he has not played, as an amateur, in sufficient matches for the M. C. C. to qualify for membership, he has been invited to become a member of the club. Earl Baldwin, the president of the M. C. C. was the instigator of the invitation.

Membership of the premier cricket club is not easily obtained. Non-playing applicants have to wait for many years before admission, and for this reason many fathers enter their sons at birth.

Those who were proposed and seconded in 1912 are not yet eligible for election.

First-class cricketers can obtain admission more easily, as they become eligible after playing in a certain number of matches for the club.

VIEWS ON TEST

The following letters to the Editor of The Daily Telegraph and Morning Post are of interest:

Sir—Readers have suggested that six days should be allotted to Test matches. One important point has been overlooked, that of the strain on the players.

Could not a system of allocation of points be devised for the Test series on the lines of the county championship? It is rather sad that the marvellous first inning's effort of the English side in the recent Test can have no real bearing on the result of the series.—Yours faithfully,

M. W. DRIVER.

Petts Wood, Kent, June 18.

DULL CRICKET

Sir—Dull cricket is the result of the "no time limit" and the "doping of the pitch." I have seen all the Australian teams that have been over here since the war, and each one has been less attractive than the last. This coincides with the introduction of the "no time limit" rule for Test matches, the improvement in defensive batting, and the making of batsmen's wickets.

Who can deny that stroke play has suffered and that cricket has become a bore compared with what it was when we had a Jack Hobbs, a Ranji, a Macartney, the hooks of George Hirst, the mighty hitting of J. N. Crawford, and the brilliant off-play of the late Jack Sharp?—Yours faithfully,

L. L. K.

Lee, S.E., June 18.

Sporting Fixtures

TODAY

BADMINTON.—Y.M.C.A. Badminton in the West Lounge.

BRIDGE.—Cheero Club Contract Bridge, 8 p.m.

MEETINGS.—Council of the H.K. Lawn Bowls Assn. in S.C.M. Post, Board Room, 5.30 p.m.

SWIMMING.—Mixed Swimming in European Y.M.C.A. Swimming Pool.

TENNIS.—"D" Division: Kowloon Tong R.C. v. Army T.C.; Kowloon Indian T.C. v. Central British Assn.; Kowloon C.C. v. Chinese R.C.; Indian R.C. v. Club de Recreio; Civil Service C.C. v. Craigengower C.C.; Police R.C. v. S. China A.A.

SELLING FALSE TEST MATCH TICKETS

Operating For Years

It was stated at Marylebone police-court recently that the authorities at Lord's cricket ground, where the second Test was played, have for years been striving to find out how false pass-out tickets for big matches came into the possession of hawkers outside the ground.

The police said that a gang of six or seven men were engaged in selling these worthless tickets outside the ground during the Test match. The tickets were hawked at prices varying between 8s and 10s each.

Hier Johnson, 49, salesman; of Tudor-street, Cardiff, and Albert Edward Bristow, 31, clerk, of Brondesbury-villas, Kilburn, who were stated by the police to have been operating with the gang in hawking the tickets, were charged before Mr. Ivan Snell with attempting respectively to obtain sums of 8s and 10s from persons unknown by false pretences.

Johnson pleaded guilty, but said that the tickets were offered to him by a "gentleman," and he did not think he was doing wrong in trying to earn a few shillings.

He was discharged under the Probation of Offenders Act with a caution.

The magistrate gave Bristow the benefit of the doubt and discharged him.

LAWN BOWLS TEAMS

The following are some of the lawn bowls teams chosen to play tomorrow:—

FIRST DIVISION

Kowloon C.C.

W. Hyde, T. Madar, H. Overy, E. C. Fincher (skip).

V. C. Labrum, J. Smith, A. W. Smith, E. Kern (skip).

H. Nish, J. W. M. Brown, R. Craig, J. Hyde (skip).

Reserve: A. Jones.

SECOND DIVISION

H.K. Football Club (A)

J. S. Howell, J. Ralston, A. W. Hodges, J. Russell (skip).

R. P. Shaw, E. Strange, H. V. Pearce, G. Duncan (skip).

W. Buller, G. S. Graver, F. H. Glover, A. Brooksbank (skip).

H.K. Football Club (B)

S. Strange, C. F. Needham, L. Lammert, E. S. Carter (skip).

A. Steven, J. Dalgarno, W. Gill, E. Tuck (skip).

S. A. Mansell, C. B. Robertson, J. Beach, J. A. R. Selby (skip).

THIRD DIVISION

H.K. Football Club

C. G. Sollis, R. Edwards, T. Rowell, H. H. Pegg (skip).

B. J. Lacon, B. I. Bickford, S. Cressey, V. Walker (skip).

A. M. Didsbury, A. Thomson, R. Fitches, J. Skinner (skip).

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A. A. Dand, A. E. Perry, R. Marks, W. W. Hirst (skip).

W. Bambro, R. Harding, C. J. Tacchi, J. M. Jack (skip).

W. Hobbs, W. T. French, L. Jack, T. Carr (skip).

Reserve:—R. Meadows.

PETER KANE

Can He Still Make "Fly" Limit?

America is making a determined effort to snatch the flyweight championship of the world, recently vacated by Benny Lynch. The latest demand is that Jackie Jurich and Small Montana should meet for the title.

The British Boxing Board of Control had already nominated Jurich, who was matched against Lynch in the fight in which the latter paid forfeit for being overweight, as the chief contender but they were puzzled to know who to name as his opponent.

Now comes the news that Peter Kane, who was thought to have finished with the flyweight division, is willing to make the eight stone limit again if he can secure a title bout.

Kane's injured hand is mending rapidly and he expects to start training in about a month. He is convinced that he will not impair his strength and stamina by making the weight.

SUSSEX MADE TO FOLLOW ON

But Bartlett Hits Sixes Later

With practically all the first day lost through rain a finish between Kent and Sussex at Tunbridge Wells recently was unlikely, especially as, owing to the long hours arranged for the first two days, stumps were to be drawn at 4.30 at the latest.

The effects of the rain proved transient and though Sussex's first innings ended just before lunch for 157, which meant that they had to follow on 289 behind, there never seemed any real chance of their being put out again, and Kent took first innings points.

Bartlett made merry at the close to the tune of 62 in 50 minutes. He hit three 6's and seven 4's, and his 6's went so far that two balls were in alternate use, lest either might prove irrecoverable.

Sussex, with their score at 44 for one, were 402 behind when play began at eleven o'clock, and H. Parks and Bartlett were both out when but 5 more had been added, before the pitch had decided to behave fairly reasonably.

Chalk was not long in bringing on his slow left-handers, and we had the pleasant and reminiscent spectacle of Woolley sending down five overs, three of which were maidens, from the Pavilion end. But it was Lewis who began to do the damage.

Following on 289 behind, Sussex met immediate disaster, for in his first over Harding brought across a really good one to hit the top of John Langridge's off-stump. Harding for a few overs continued to bowl well. His direction was good, and, apart from being quite fast, he has ideas about a yorker, but at the end of his spell he hardly looked so formidable.

INDIAN HOCKEY TOURISTS

Triumphant Tour In New Zealand

The Manavadar Hockey team that played in Colombo on their way to New Zealand have been meeting with much success so far. The First Test match will be played at Christchurch and the Second Test at Wellington. The final Test will be played at Auckland on August 27, a day or two before the Manavadar team start on their return voyage.

On June 18 the tourists beat Wanganui by 4 goals to nil. Although the ground was poor for Hockey the tourists played well. Feroz Khan scored two goals and Abdul Latif and Lajpat Rai one each. Wanganui are the present holders of the Inter-provincial trophy. Shahnoor Khan, Fernandez and Sultan Khan played brilliantly.

HUSSAIN OUTSTANDING

The tourists then defeated North Taranaki by 5 goals to 1. Peter Fernandez did not play. S. M. Hussain (2), Ahmed Khan (2), Sultan Khan and Shahabudin were the scorers. Hussain was described as the outstanding player on the side.

Two days later the Manavadar team beat South Taranaki by 6 goals to 1. P. Fernandez was in great form and scored 4 goals. Feroz Khan scored the other 2 goals.

AT WELLINGTON

A crowd of 10,000 saw the tourists playing at Wellington on a better ground. The Manavadar team are reported to have played as fine a game as the 1935 All-India side. Manavadar scored six goals in the first half and at the final whistle they had scored 12 goals. Gurnaram Singh played an amazing game and Hussain was brilliant. Lajpat Rai was also at his best.

On June 28 the Manavadar team beat Nelson by 7 goals to 1. They played one short in the second half as Feroz Khan had strained a muscle. Sultan Khan scored a goals, Abdul Latif two, and Shahabuddin one goal.

AUSTRALIANS APPEAL TO AUTOGRAPH HUNTERS

The demand by the public for autographs of the Australian cricket team has grown to such an extent that it has become a burden on the players.

Mr. W. H. Jeanes, the manager, has pointed out that on the voyage from Australia some thousands of autograph slips had been signed by the team, but that the supply of these was now exhausted.

He appealed to the public for sympathetic consideration by refraining from seeking for players' autographs, either by asking for signed slips or sending books or other articles to the grounds or hotels to be signed, or soliciting individual players.

Y.M.C.A. ACTIVITIES

The following is the programme of activities at the European Y.M.C.A. for the coming week:—

Sunday: Discussion Group in the West Lounge at 9 p.m.

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Tuesdays and Friday: Badminton and Mixed Swimming.

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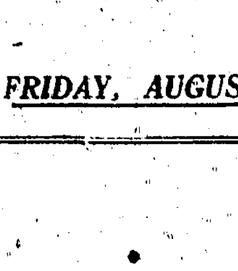

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Prague	142⅜	142½
Helsingfors	226⅜	
Bucharest	670	
Hong Kong	1/2 31/32	
Bombay	1/5 29/32	
Montreal	4.93⅜	4.9⅜
Brussels	29.09	29.00½
Yokohama		
Sellers		
Buenos Aires	18.94.	18.8 6½
Monte Video	20⅜	
Rio	2-27/32	
Silver (Forward)	19½.	19-7/16.
Silver (Spot)	19⅜	19-9/16
War Loan	3½% 102⅜.	3½% 102⅜.

Closing Quotations

August , 1938.

ON LONDON:—	
Telegraphic Transfer...	1/2⅞
Bank Bills, on demand	
Credits, 4 months' sight	1/3⅛
ON SHANGHAI:—	
On demand	170 nom.
ON SINGAPORE:—	
On demand	53
ON JAPAN:—	
On demand	106⅛
ON INDIA:—	
Telegraphic Transfer...	83
Bank on demand	16/16
ON NEW YORK:—	
Bank Bills, on demand	30⅛
Credits, 60 days' sight	30⅛
ON BATAVIA:—	
On demand	56⅜
ON PARIS:—	
Bank Bills, on demand	1,095
Credits, 4 months' sight	1,180
ON SAIGON:—	
On demand	109
ON MANILA:—	
On demand	60⅛
ON BANGKOK:—	
On demand	149⅜
Sovereign Notes	
Bank Buying Rate.....	1/2-1/16
Bar Silver, per oz	19-7/16

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS.

Silver prices dropped 1/8 yesterday for both deliveries, the quotations being 19 7/16 for Ready and 19 5/16 for Forward. Silver advices reported the market as being steady with some general selling. Later India bought at the quoted rate. There were sellers at 1/16 higher. American Silver was quoted at 42 3/4 for Spot.

The London-New York cross-rate was quoted at 489.06. New York-London was quoted at 489. 1/8.

MARKET

Quietly steady.

STERLING

There were sellers at 1/2 31/32 August-October and 1/2 15/16 November-December, buyers at 1/3 Cash-September and 1/2 31/32 November-December.

U.S. DOLLARS

There were sellers at 30 1/2 August-September and 30 7/16 October-November, buyers at 30 9/16 Cash-September and 30 1/2 October-November.

SHANGHAI DOLLARS

184 3/4 sellers.

SHANGHAI MARKET

8.1/16" sellers. U.S.$16.7/16 sellers.

IN THE AFTERNOON

The market was quiet in the afternoon.

STERLING

The market closed with sellers at 1/2 31/32 August-October and 1/2 15/16 November-December, buyers at 1/3 Cash-September and 1/2 31/32 November-December.

U.S. DOLLARS

There were sellers at 30 1/2 August-September and 30 7/16 October-November, buyers at 30 9/16 Cash-September and 30 1/2 October-November.

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

The market was very quiet but with a steady undertone.

BUYERS

H.K. Bank (Lon.), £90 ex. d.
Union Insurance, $497½.
Union Waterboats, $9.
Raubs, $9.70.
Venz. Goldfield, $3.
H. and S. Hotels, $6.65.
H.K. Lands. 4% Deb., $107.
H.K. Realties, $5.85.
Peak Trams (Old), $6½.
Yaumati Ferries (Old), $24½.
Yaumati Ferries (New), $24.
China Lights (Old), $10.90.
H.K. Electrics, $60½.
Telephones (Old), $26½.
Watsons, $7.35.
Constructions, $1½.
H.K. Govt. 4% Loan, 5½% pm.
H.K. Govt. 3½% Loan, 1½% pm.
Marsmans (H.K.), 3/3

SELLERS

H.K. Bank, $1510.
Watsons, $7.50.

SALES

H.K. Bank, $1510 c.d.
Union Insurance, $500.
H.K. Lands, $37½-38.
H.K. Electrics, $60½.
Watsons, $7.35.
H.K. Govt. 4% Loan, 6½% pm.

(Prices below in Phil. Currency)

Antamoks Ps.. .38
Atoks, .28½
Baguio Gold, .21
Benguet Consol.. 11.20
Coco Grove, .42
Consol. Mines, .0045
San Mauricio, .48
Suyoc Consol. .17
United Paracales, .32

H.K. SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

BUYERS

Trams, $17.40
China Lights (Old), $11.
China Lights (New), $8.
Waterboats, $9.
Antamoks, 61 cts.
Govt. 4% Loan, 6 cts.
Watsons, $7½.

SALES

Trams, $17.40.
Hotels, $6.65.
Steamboats, $21.

HONG KONG MINES OUTPUT

Nielson & Co, Inc, managers for the Hong Kong Mines, Ltd, report 3,821 short dry tons of ore treated for the month of July; from which 637 dry short tons of lead concentrates were produced, averaging 71.74 per cent. Lead and 16.87 oz. Silver per ton.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

(Through Reuter's Service)

QUOTATIONS

1938 High	1938 Low		Dow Jones Averages	Aug. 3.	Aug. 4, 1938. High	Aug. 4, 1938. Low	Aug. 4, 1938. Close	Chang
144.91	98.95	30	Industrials	141.97	143.40	141.10	141.73	.24 off
32.77	19.00	20	Rails	28.33	28.80	28.01	28.06	.28 off
22.55	15.14	20	Utilities	20.63	20.71	20.36	20.38	.25 off
92.70	83.39	40	Bonds	90.30			90.09	.21 off
49.00	45.03	11	Commodity Index	48.13			48.32	.10 up

Business Done:—820,000 shares.

STOCKS	Last Sale August 2	3	STOCKS	Last Sale August 2	3
Adams Express	11⅜	11⅜	Great Western Sugar	27¼	27½
Alleghany Steel Co.	18½	18	Greyhound Corpn.	16½	16½
Allis Chalmers	50⅜	51	Hecker Products ...	8¼	7⅞
Amer. Can	98½	99	Int. Nickel	50⅛	49⅞
Amer. & For. Power	4⅛	4⅛	Int. Tel. & Tel.	9⅛	9
Amer. & For. $7 pf.	20½*	20½	Kennecott Copper ...	41⅞	41
Amer. Locomotive ...	22	21⅞	Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	44⅛	44
Amer. Metals	34⅛	34½	Lockheed Aircraft ...	13⅞	14⅛
Amer. Radiator	15½	15⅛	Loew's Inc.	49	47½
Amer. Rolling Mill ...	20½	20	Martin, Glen L.	24⅜	24
Amer. Smelting	49½	50⅜	McKesson & Robbins, $3 pf.	34⅜	34
Amer. Sugar R'ing ...	27⅞	27½	Monsanto Chemical	91	91⅞
Amer. Tel. & Tel. ...	141	140½	Montgomery Ward ...	47	46½
Amer. Tobacco "B"	88⅜	88½	Nat. Dairy Products	15⅛	15⅜
Amer. Waterworks ...	10⅜	10⅜	Nat. Distillers	25½	25⅜
Anaconda Copper ...	36⅛	35⅛	Nat. Power & Light	7	6⅞
Atchison, T. & S. Fe.	36⅜	36⅛	Nat. Supply Corpn.	20	19
Auburn Motors	4½	4 *	New York Central ...	19⅜	18⅞
Baltimore & Ohio ...	9⅛	8⅜	N. America Aviation	10½	10⅛
Barber & Co.	21	19⅜	North America Co.	21½	21⅛
Barnsdall Oil	19⅛	19⅛	Northern Pacific	12⅜	12⅛
Bethlehem Steel	58⅜	58	Pacific Gas & Elec	27	27
Boeing Airplane Co.	28½	28	Pacific Lighting	39½	39½
Borg-Warner	31⅛	31	Packard Motors	5⅛	5
Briggs M'facturing ..	33⅜	32⅜	Paramount Pictures	10⅜	10⅛
Brooklyn-Manhattan Trans.	11⅛	11⅛	Pennsylvania R.R. ...	21⅛	20⅞
Brooklyn-Manhattan $6 cum. pf.	33⅛	32⅜	Phillips Petroleum ..	41⅛	41⅜
Canadian Pacific	7	6⅜	Public Service of N.J.	30⅛	29⅛
Case, J.I.	100	100	Pure Oil	11⅞	11⅞
Chesapeake & Ohio	31⅛	30⅛	Radio Corpn. of Am.	7	6⅞
Chrysler Corpn.	71⅛	70⅛	Republic Steel	19	18⅜
Columbia Gas & El.	7⅛	7⅛	Reynold Tobac. "B"	43⅜	43⅛
Columbia 6% "A" pf.	66⅜	68	Schenley	20⅛	19⅜
Commercial Credit...	47	47⅛	Schenley, 5½% pfd...	75	75½
Commonwealth & S.	1⅛	1⅛	Sears Roebuck	72⅜	73
Commonwealth & S. 6% cum pf.	37⅛	37⅛	Shell Union Oil	17	17⅛
Consolidated Edison	27⅛	27⅜	Socony-Vacuum Oil	15⅛	15
Consolidated Oil ...	10⅜	10⅛	Southern Pacific ...	19⅜	18⅜
Continental Can	45⅛	44	Southern Rly $5 pfd.	18⅜	18⅛
Continental Oil	35	34⅛	Standard Brands	8⅛	8
Corn. Products	68⅛	68⅛	Stand Gas & Elec.	4⅜	4⅛
Curtiss Wright (C.)	5⅜	5⅜	Standard Oil of N.J.	57⅛	57
Curtiss Wright "A"	23⅛	23⅛	Stone & Webster	10⅜	10⅛
Distillers Corpn. Seagrams	17	17⅛	Swift International	29	28⅛
Douglas Aircraft ...	50⅛	50½	Technicolor	25⅛	24⅜
Du Pont	128	127½	Texas Gulf Sulphur	34⅜	34⅜
Eagle Picher Lead	11⅛	10⅜	20th Cent. Fox. Films	25	24⅞
Elec. Bond & Share	8⅛	8⅛	do. Films pf.	33⅜	33⅛*
Elec. Bond & Share $5 pf.	51	52 *	Union Carbide & Carbon	83⅛	82⅜
Elec. Bond & Share $6 pf.	55⅜*	57½	Union Pacific	82	82
Elec. Power & Light $7 pf.	39⅜	39½	United Aircraft	28	28
Flintkote	22⅜	21⅛ *	United Airlines Trans	10⅛	10
Gen. America Trans	49	48½*	United Corpn.	3	3
Gen. Electric	41⅜	41⅛	United Corpn. $3 cum. pf.	31⅛	31⅞
Gen. Motors	43⅞	43⅜	United Gas Corpn.	4	4
Gen. Railway Signal	21½	21⅜	Un. Gas Improvem't	10⅜	10⅛
Glidden Co.	23⅛	23	U.S. Rubber	45	43⅜
Goodrich (B.F.)	24⅛	23⅜	U.S. Rubber pf.	81⅛	80
Goodrich $5 pf.	59	58⅛	U.S. Steel	60	58⅛
Goodyear Tire & Co.	27	26½	Vanadium	19½	19⅜
Great Northern Iron Ore	13⅛	13⅛	Warner Bros. Pict. ...	6⅜	6⅛
Great Northern Rly.	22⅛	21⅞	Westinghouse Elec.	103½	101½
			Woodward Iron Cor.	19⅛	19⅜
			Chase National Bk.	32½*	32½*
			National City Bank	26½*	26*
			Call Money	1%	1%

‡ ex. div. * bid.

Shanghai Being Isolated By Japanese Refusal To Allow River Dredging

London, August 4.

In a letter to The Times today, Mr. Edward Mackay, former chairman of the Shanghai Chamber of Commerce, says that with regard to the refusal of the Japanese military authorities to allow the Whangpoo Conservancy Board to continue dredging the river between Woosung and Shanghai, deep-draught vessels, most of which are British and American, will soon be unable to reach the port.

He says he understands the Canadian Pacific and President liners have already intimated their intention to omit calls.

No reason is advanced by the Japanese for their action which, with the fighting area far removed from Shanghai, cannot be justified.

The Japanese may have in view development of Woosung as a port to cater to the valuable export and import trade of the Yangtse northern and southern ports, leaving Shanghai high and dry, says Mr. Mackay or they may wish to develop Tsingtao as such a port.

ISOLATING SHANGHAI

In either case, if they render the Whangpoo unnavigable to deep-draught vessels they will isolate Shanghai and millions in British capital will be lost.

The letter adds that the British Ambassador to Tokyo should be invited to ask the Japanese Foreign Minister what is the objection to the Conservancy Board carrying on the vital work of dredging the Whangpoo, and he should accept no reply which savours of prevarication.—(Reuter).

AUSTRIAN INDUSTRIES PASS TO STATE

The bulk of Austria's privately-owned electrical, steel, and automobile industries passed into the Government's hands recently to be incorporated in the new State-owned Hermann Goring steel works.

An official announcement disclosed that a majority of the stock of the companies became available to the Government through the merger June 18 of the three largest Austrian banks—the Merkurbank, Landerbank, and Zivnostenska—which now are under the domination of the State-owned Dresdner Bank.

Included in the transfer were the Steyr, Daimler, and Puch automobile works, the Simmering Railway Car factory, Judenburg Steel Works, and Vienna Pauker Works.

PAYNE & CO.

COMMODITY BROKERS

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HONG KONG

New York Commodity Market

(THROUGH REUTER'S SERVICE)

New York, August 3.		High	Low	Prev. Close	Today's Close	Change
New York Cotton	October	8.51	8.43	8.49	8.46	.03 off
New York Rubber	Sept.	15.81	15.81	15.88b	15.90N	.02 up
Chicago Wheat	Sept.	68¼	67½	67⅛	67⅜	¼ up
Chicago Corn	Sept.	55¾	54½	55	54⅜	⅜ up
Winnipeg Wheat	October	77¼	78⅛	75¼	76⅜	1 up

NEW YORK COTTON	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
October	8.49/50	8.47/46	8.46/46	.03 off
December	8.58/58	8.54/54	8.53/53	.05 off
January (1939)	8.60/60	8.56/56	8.55 N	.05 off
March (")	8.64/64	8.18/61	8.60/61	.04 off
May (")	8.67/67	8.64/64	8.63/63	.04 off
July (")	8.70 N	8.67/67	8.66/66	.04 off
Spot	8.59		8.56	.03 off

NEW YORK RUBBER				
September	15.88b/91a	15.96b/16.06a	15.90 N	.02 up
December	15.96/16.00	16.10/14	16.02b/03a	.06 up
March	16.04b/06a	16.20/22	16.10/12	.06 up
May	16.13 N	———	16.16/16	.03 up

Sales for the day: 4,550 tons.

CHICAGO WHEAT				
September	67⅛/67	67⅛/67⅜	67⅛/67⅛	⅛ up
December	69/68⅞	69⅛/69⅜	69/69⅛	unch.
May	71¼/71⅛	———	71⅛/71¼	⅛ up

Tuesday's Sales:— 17,153,000 bushels.

CHICAGO CORN				
September	55/55⅛	55⅜/55⅝	54⅜/54⅝	⅜ off
December	52⅜/52⅛	52⅛/52⅜	52/52⅛	⅛ off
May	54⅛/54⅛	———	54/54⅛	⅛ off

WINNIPEG WHEAT				
October	75⅛/75⅜	76⅛/77	76⅛/76⅜	⅜ up
December	74⅛/74⅜	75⅛/75⅜	75⅛/75⅜	⅜ up
May	78⅜/78⅝	———	77⅛/77⅜	1 up

NEW YORK STRAITS TIN			
September	43.85 N	43.40b/85a	43.75 Nom.
NY Silver, Official	42-3/4		42-3/4
NY-L'don Cross Rate...	4.90		4.89-1/8

COMMODITY MARKET REVIEW

(FROM PAYNE & CO.)

SINGAPORE RUBBER

	August 2 buyers	August 2 sellers	August 3 buyers	August 3 sellers	change
SPOT	26	26-1/4	25-7/8	26-1/8	off 1/8
OCT.-DEC.	27	27-1/4	26-3/4	27	off 1/4
JAN.-MARCH	27-1/2	27-3/4	27-3/8	27-5/8	off 1/8

Steadier advices received from London and New York were responsible for the market opening 1/4 of a cent higher for all deliveries as compared with Tuesday's closing rates.

Throughout the day the market displayed a steady undertone. Demand for spot Rubber was fair, whilst good enquiry by dealers and speculators was in evidence.

After some business having been transacted on basis of quoted rates, prices advanced by 1/8 cent for forward options and 1/4 cent for spot Rubber on persistent further general buying.

Closing tone was quiet, but steady.

It would appear that the trend of the market in the immediate future will be largely dependent upon further developments in the Far Eastern political situation. It is also of interest to note that the difference between October-December and January-March positions has now widened to 5/8 cent and as a further widening of this difference is expected with the approaching delivery-time, it would seem to be advisable not to unnecessarily delay switching operations to more distant deliveries.

LONDON RUBBER

	Previous close buyers	Previous close sellers	Today's close buyers	Today's close sellers	change
SPOT	7-11/16	7-3/4	7-11/16	7-13/16	unch.
OCT.-DEC.	7-13/16	7-7/8	7-13/16	7-7/8	"
JAN.-MARCH	7-7/8	7-15/16	7-7/8	8	"

After responding to a little Continental trade demand, the market closed quiet.

NEW YORK COTTON

After an early decline on lower Liverpool cables, prices then rallied on Trade buying and reports of further rains over the belt. Later, the market again eased on pre-Bureau liquidation, an increase in private estimates and the reaction of the stock market from its early firmness. There was some Trade price-fixing on the scale-down and a moderate "spot" demand.

NEW YORK RUBBER

Prices early responded to higher cables from abroad and the better feeling of securities. Commission-house buying absorbed foreign and dealer offerings, but prices later reacted downward on the easing of the stock market and on further selling, which was accredited to foreign account.

CHICAGO WHEAT

General buying and covering, the unexpected upturn on the Liverpool market and diminishing South-Western receipts caused an early advance. Finally, prices reacted on professional opposition, liberal Russian offerings abroad and a fair-sized estimated increase in European production.

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Issued & Fully Paid-Up $20,000,000
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Hong Kong, 2nd May, 1938.

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D. C. Edmondston,
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HIGH TOTAL OF TRADE DISPUTES

Last Year's Record Worst Since 1920

The number of workers involved in trade disputes during 1937 was almost twice that of 1936, and the number of disputes was the largest recorded since 1920. There were, however, few disputes of great magnitude, and the aggregate time lost was considerably less than in several of the years since 1920.

According to the Ministry of Labour Gazette, the number of disputes involving stoppages of work beginning in 1937 was 1,129, as compared with 818 in 1936.

In these disputes about 388,000 work-people were directly involved—on strike or locked out—and about 209,000 were indirectly involved—thrown out of work but not themselves parties to the disputes.

The total number of workpeople involved, either directly or indirectly, in all disputes in progress in 1937 was 510,000, as compared with 322,000 in the previous year. The aggregate duration in working days of all disputes was 3,413,000, as compared with 1,829,000 in 1936.

About two-fifths of the disputes occurred in the coal-mining industry, affecting for the most part single collieries only.

The largest dispute involving youths at coal mines occurred during July in Yorkshire, following a claim for increased wages. About 95,000 workpeople were involved, directly or indirectly, in a total loss of over 400,000 working days, before work was resumed with higher scales of pay.

LOCAL • RADIO PROGRAMMES • FOREIGN

HONG KONG

ZBW — On Wavelengths of 355 metres (845 k.c's) 31.49 metres (9.52 megacycles).

DOREEN MA (PIANO) FROM THE STUDIO

London Relays

12-12.20 p.m. Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.

12.30 p.m. Jessie Matthews, (Soprano) and New Mayfair Orchestra.

Dancing On The Ceiling; Just By Your Example (From "Evergreen")—Jessie Matthews; "Please, Teacher"—Selection (Waller and Tunbridge). Intro: — Looking through the window; You give me ideas; Whispering Trees; Song of the Cello; Mind how you go across the road; "Tulip Time" Selection (Sievier and Wark) Intro:—Aces of the Air; Sailing with the Breeze; When you're only seventeen; I like you; Noah had two of everything.—Orchestra; Let Me Give My Happiness To You; Three Wishes (Theme Song "The Good Companions")—Jessie Matthews; Roberta—Selection (Kern). Intro:—You're devastating; Lovely to look at; Smoke gets in your eyes; Let's begin; I won't dance; Sweet Adeline—Selection (Kern). Intro:—Why was I born; We were so young; Lonely feet; Molly O'Donoghue; Don't ever leave me. —Orchestra.

1 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Latest Variety Records.

Band—Goodnight Angel; Please Be Kind—Fox-Trot.—Billy Cotton and His Band with vocal chorus; Vocal—After All These Years (Gilbert and Nicholls); Sailing Home—Sung by Turner Layton at the Piano; Vocal with Banjulele and Orchestra.—You're At Blackpool By The Sea; He Said "Kiss Me" (Ted Waite)—Tessie O'Shea with her banjulele and Orchestra; Tango Orchestra—Tango Mio (Fresedo); Sierra Chica—Argentine Tango—Juan Llossas and His Tango Orchestra; Vocal—When I Heard The Organ Play (Gilbert)—Master Alfred Conn accomp. by Chas. Smart at the Organ.

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 p.m. Mendelssohn — Symphony No. 4 ("Italian") and Overture to "Fingal's Cave."

Symphony No. 4 ("Italian") In A Major—Sir Hamilton Harty conducting The Halle Orchestra, Fingal's Cave—Overture—St. Louis Symphony Orchestra conducted by Rudolph Ganz.

2.15 Close Down.

6 p.m. Dance Music and Variety Numbers.

Fox-Trot — Souvenir Of Love (From 'Sailing Along'); In My Little Red Book—Jay Wilbur and His Band vocal chorus by Sam Costa; Humorous—I'm The Only Bit Of Comfort That She's Got (Miller); She Said She Wouldn't (Miller)—Max Miller (Comedian with Orch.); Fox-Trots—Always (From 'Mannequin'); Ti-Pi-Tin—Gerry Moore and His Rhythm; Quickstep—Somebody's Thinking Of You Tonight; Waltz—Am I The First One?—Victor Silvester and His Ballroom Orchestra; Vocal—Sally The Circus Queen (Weston—Lee); The Legionaires (Intro:—"Marietta" — Warner — Darnell)—Warner and Darnell; Tangos—Land Of Magic; Lamento!—Heinz Huppertz and His Orchestra; Vocal—Dixie Isn't Dixie Any More: Jo-Jo, The Cannibal Kid (From "Lew Leslie's Blackbirds of 1936"); —Lavalda Carter with Orchestra; Fox-Trots—Roll 'Em; Afraid To Dream (From 'You can't have everything')—Benny Goodman and His Orchestra with vocal refrain, Can't We Be Friends; Peckin' (From 'New Faces of 1937)—Benny Goodman and His Orchestra.

7.05 p.m. Songs by Keith Falkner (Baritone).

A Song Doesn't Care; San Diego, Betty; Without The Moon (From 'Mayfair Melody').

7.15 p.m. Albert Sandler and His Orchestra.

Tell Me Tonight (Theme Song, "Tell Me Tonight"); Where The Woods Are Green (Brodszky—arr. Weninger); Play Of Butterflies; Fairy Tale (Jonny Reykens); If You Only Knew (From "Crest of the Wave"); Halfway To Heaven (From "The Street Singer"); Waltzes From Theatre-Land. Intro:—Love Will Find A Way; My Hero; Just for a While; Glamorous Night; Deep in My Heart; Dear; I'll see you again; I'll follow my secret heart; The Desert Song.

7.43 p.m. Closing local Stock Quotations.

7.45 p.m. London Relay—'Building The City'—2.

'Manchester' A talk by Rachel Ryan.

8 p.m. Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m. Gershwin—Rhapsody in Blue and "Porgy and Bess" Selection.

Rhapsody In Blue—Boston Orchestra conducted by Arthur Fiedler—J. M. Sanroma at the Piano; Porgy And Bess—Selection. Intro:—Summertime; Bess You Is My Woman; It Ain't Necessarily So; I Got Plenty o' Nuttin'; There's a Boat Dat's Leavin' Soon for New York.—Carroll Gibbons and the Savoy Orpheans (Vocalists; Anne Ziegler and Webster Booth.

8.25 p.m. Songs by Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone).

Old Plantation (From the 1937 "Cotton Club Parade"); The Silver Patrol (Sievier and Thayer)

8.30 p.m. Studio—A Piano Recital by Doreen Ma.

1. It's The Dreamer In Me; 2. Please Be Kind; 3. Jealousy; 4. Don't Be That Way; 5. Rockin' Chair.

8.45 p.m. Quentin Maclean at the Organ.

It Was So Beautiful (Freed and Barris); The Clouds Will Soon Roll By (Woods and Brown); Cinema Memories; Theme Songs from: Orphans of the Storm; The Four Horsemen Of the Apocalypse; Way Down East; Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall; La Rosita; Robin Hood; Charlie Chaplin's Theme. The Gold Rush; Way Down East; The Covered Wagon; What Price Glory; The Singing Fool.

9 p.m. Selections from Light Opera.

The Land Of Smiles—Selection (Lehar)—London Theatre Orchestra conducted by Ernest Irving. "The Geisha" — Vocal Gems (Jones). Intro:—Opening Chorus, Act 1; Jack's the Boy; Amorous Goldfish; Chin Chin Chinaman, Chon Kina; We're going to call on the Marquis; Opening Chorus, Act 2. Tey Monkey; Star of my soul; Jolly young Jacks; Jewel of Asia; Love! Love!—Light Opera Company; A Country Girl—Selection (Lionel Monckton)—London Theatre Orchestra; Karitana — Vocal Gems (W. V. Wallace). Intro:—Turn on Old Time; In Happy Moments; Pretty Gitana; Angelus.—Clara Serena, Francis Russell, Dannis Noble and Chorus with Orchestra.

9.30 p.m. London Relay—The News.

9.50 p.m. Latest Dance Records.

Fox-Trots — Georgianna; Night Time In Cairo—The Six Swingers directed by George Scott Wood; Have You Ever Been in Heaven? (From 'Manhattan Music Box')—Mantovani and His Orchestra with Vocal Chorus.

10 p.m. London Relay—'Saturday Night Sing-Song.'

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11 p.m. Close Down.

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6.00—Jim Davidson's Dance Band (A).

6.30—Desmond Tanner and Al. Hammett, Organ and Saxophone (A).

6.45—"Topical Gazette." (D 2).

7.20—Dance Music by Billy Gerhardt and his Band. (D 2).

7.30—Programme by the Brisbane Studio Orchestra (A).

7.45—"Building the City," by Rachel Ryan (D 2).

8.00—"Scrapbook for 1914." (D 2); "Chorus, Gentlemen, Please!" (A).

8.50—Recorded Feature (A); Alfred van Dam and his "Gaumont State" Orchestra (H. I.).

9.00—Weekly review by L. Aletrino (H. I.).

9.05—Violoncello Recital by Hildegarde Arnold (D 2).

9.30—News (D 2).

9.50—"Jack Simpel" a naval story (H. I.).

10.00—"Saturday Night Sing-Song." (D 3).

10.10—Dance Music (D 3).

11.00—"Building the City." Talk by Rachel Ryan (D 3).

11.15—Violin Music (D 3).

12.00—News (D 3).

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Ermland, Jebsen's, August 20.
Regensburg, Melchers', August 23.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, August 25.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, August 27.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., August 27.
India, East Asiatic & Co., August 29.
Hans Rickmers, Jebsen's, August 30.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Sept. 2.

Keelung.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., August 13.
Tyosa Maru, O.S.K., August 14.

Shanghai.
Taksang, J.M. & Co., August 5.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., August 5.
Tjibadak, J.C.J. Line, August 6.
Talabot, Thoresen's, August 6.
Tai Seun Hong, J.M. & Co., August 7.
Taiyuan, B. & S., August 7.
Bhutan, P. & O., August 8.
Szechuen, B. & S., August 8.
Kiungchow, B. & S., August 9.
Soochow, B. & S., August 10.
Gneisenau, Melchers', August 11.
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, August 11.
Tsinan, B. & S., August 12.
C Biancamano, Lloyd Triestino, Aug. 13
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, August 13.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., August 13.
City of Bedford, Bank Line, Aug. 13.
Behar, P. & O., August 14.
Roxville, Bank Line, August 16.
Sulyang, B. & S., August 16.
Aramis, Messageries', August 17.
Gustav Diederichsen, Jebsen's, Aug. 17.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., August 18.
Chitral, P. & O., August 18.
Kingyuan, B. & S., August 19.
Ermland, Jebsen's, August 20.
Regensburg, Melchers', August 23.
Ruys, J.C.J. Line, August 23.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., August 27.
India, East Asiatic & Co., August 29.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Sept. 2.

Swatow.
Taksang, J.M. & Co., August 5.
Haitan, Douglas', August 5.
Hoihow, B. & S., August 7.
Tai Seun Hong, J.M. & Co., August 7.
Taiyuan, B. & S., August 7.
Anhui, B. & S., August 7.
Kiungchow, B. & S., August 9.
Soochow, B. & S., August 10.
Tsinan, B. & S., August 12.
Yochow, B. & S., August 12.
Hai Lee, Thoresen's, August 13.
Hiram, Thoresen's, August 14.
Kalgan, B. & S., August 14.
Suiyang, B. & S., August 16.
Gustav Diederichsen, Jebsen's, Aug. 17.
Hupeh, B. & S., August 18.
Kingyuan, B. & S., August 19.
Anshun, B. & S., August 21.
Hellas, Thoresen's, August 24.

Taku.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, August 13.
Gustav Diederichsen, Jebsen's, Aug. 17.
Crefeld, Melchers', August 18.
Ermland, Jebsen's, August 20.
Regensburg, Melchers', August 23.

Tientsin.
Taksang, J.M. & Co., August 5.
Hoihow, B. & S., August 7.
Tai Seun Hong, J.M. & Co., August 7.
Yochow, B. & S., August 12.
Gustav Diederichsen, Jebsen's, Aug. 17.
Hupeh, B. & S., August 18.

Wei-Hai-Wei.
Hoihow, B. & S., August 7.
Yochow, B. & S., August 12.
Hupeh, B. & S., August 18

EASTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA.

Balboa.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., August 18.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, August 20.
City of Elwood, Thoresen's, August 24.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, August 27.

Baltimore.
City of Elwood, Thoresen's, August 24.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, August 27.

Boston and New York.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, August 20.
City of Elwood, Thoresen's, August 24.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, August 27.

Cristobal.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, August 20.
City of Elwood, Thoresen's, August 24.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, August 27.

Honolulu.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., August 18.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, August 25.

Los Angeles.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., August 18.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, August 20.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, August 25.
Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 26.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, August 27.

Panama.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, August 20.
City of Elwood, Thoresen's, August 24.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, August 27.

Philadelphia.
City of Elwood, Thoresen's, August 24.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, August 27.

Portland, Ore.
Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 26.

San Francisco.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., August 18.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, August 25.
Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 26.

Seattle.
Tyndareus, B. & S., August 9.
Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 26.

Tacoma
Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 26.

Vancouver, B.C.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., August 5.
Tyndareus, B. & S., August 9.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., August 18.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Sept. 2.

Victoria, B.C.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., August 5.
Tyndareus, B. & S., August 9.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., August 18.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Sept. 2.

SOUTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS. MANILA. AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East and West.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 5.
Changte, B. & S., August 16.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., August 27.

Bali.
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, August 23.

Bangkok.
Tegelberg, J.C.J. Line, August 7.
Hiram, Thoresen's, August 14.
Kalgan, B. & S., August 14.
Hellas, Thoresen's, August 24.

Batavia.
Chinese Prince, Furness', August 14.
Tjisaroea, J.C.J. Line, August 16.

Belawan-Deli.
Donau, Melchers', August 19.
Gneisenau, Melchers', August 25.

Borneo Ports
Mausang, J.M. & Co., August 19.

Brisbane.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 5.
Changte, B. & S., August 16.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., August 27.

Cebu.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, August 5.
Tjibadak, J.C.J. Line, August 16.
Silveryew, Furness', August 28.

Cairns.
Changte, B. & S., August 16.

Davao.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., August 27.
Silveryew, Furness', August 28.

Haiphong.
Leesang, J.M. & Co., August 5.
Chungking, B. & S., August 5.
Kiangsu, B. & S., August 8.
Kwangtung, B. & S., August 14.
Jean Dupuis, B. & S., August 16.

Hobart
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 5.

Hoihow.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, August 7.
Kiangsu, B. & S., August 8.
Muinam, B. & S., August 10.
Kwangtung, B. & S., August 14.

Hongay.
Sinkiang, B. & S, August 15

Iloilo
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, August 5.

Java
Tjisaroea, J.C.J. Line, August 16.

Kwangchowwan.
Jean Dupuis, B. & S., August 16.

Madang.
Friderun, Melchers', August 11.

Makassar.
Chinese Prince, Furness', August 14.
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, August 23.

Manila.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 5.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, August 5.
Duisburg, Jebsen's, August 5.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, August 7.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., August 11
Chinese Prince, Furness', August 14.
Changte, B. & S., August 16.
Tjibadak, J.C.J. Line, August 16.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, August 19.
C/Biancamano, Lloyd Triestino, Aug. 21
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., August 25.
Gneisenau, Melchers', August 25.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., August 27.
Silveryew, Furness', August 28.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 9.

Melbourne.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 5.
Changte, B. & S., August 16.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., August 27.

Menado
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, August 23.

Pakhoi.
Kiangsu, B. & S., August 8.
Kwangtung, B. & S., August 14.

Rabaul
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 5.
Friderun, Melchers', August 11.

Saigon.
Tegelberg, J.C.J. Line, August 7.
Pres. Doumer, Messageries', August 18.
Titan, B. & S., August 22.

Salamaua.
Friderun, Melchers', August 11.

Sandakan.
Mausang, J.M. & Co., August 19.

Semarang.
Chinese Prince, Furness', August 14.
Tjisaroea, J.C.J. Line, August 16.

Soerabaia.
Chinese Prince, Furness', August 14.
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, August 23.

Sydney.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 5.
Changte, B. & S., August 16.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., August 27.

Thursday Island.
Changte, B. & S., August 16.

Townsville
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 5.
Changte, B. & S., August 16.

Tulagi.
Friderun, Melchers', August 11.

WESTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE, AFRICA, ETC.

Aden.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., August 6.
Menestheus, B. & S., August 10.
Serooskerk, J.C.J. Line, August 11.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., August 12.
Bangalore, P. & O., August 13.
Naldera, P. & O., August 20.
Taronga, Thoresen's, August 21.
Aeneas, B. & S., August 23.

African Ports.
Tegelberg, J.C.J. Line, August 7.

Algiers.
Taronga, Thoresen's, August 21.

Antwerp.
Benledi, Loxley's, August 9.
Serooskerk, J.C.J. Line, August 11.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., August 12.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., August 12.
Bangalore, P. & O., August 13.
Taronga, Thoresen's, August 21.

Boston and New York.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, August 7.
Chinese Prince, Furness', August 14.
Silveryew, Furness', August 28.

Bremen.
Donau, Melchers', August 19.
Gneisenau, Melchers', August 25.

Bombay.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., August 6.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, August 7.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., August 9.
Bangalore, P. & O., August 13.
Naldera, P. & O., August 20.
C/Biancamano, Lloyd Triestino, Aug. 21
Alipore, P. & O., August 29.

Bromborough.
Titan, B. & S., August 22.

Calcutta.
Hosang, J.M. & Co., August 9.
Morioka Maru, N.Y.K., August 10.
Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), August 13.

Casablanca.
Menestheus, B. & S., August 10.
Bangalore, P. & O., August 13.
Taronga, Thoresen's, August 21.

Colombo.
Duisburg, Jebsen's, August 5.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., August 6.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, August 7.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., August 9.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., August 12.
Bangalore, P. & O., August 13.
Pres. Doumer, Messageries', August 18.
Donau, Melchers', August 19.
Naldera, P. & O., August 20.
Taronga, Thoresen's, August 21.
C/Biancamano, Lloyd Triestino, Aug. 21
Gneisenau, Melchers', August 25.
Alipore, P. & O., August 29.

Copenhagen
Siam, East Asiatic & Co., August 22.

Genoa.
Duisburg, Jebsen's, August 5.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, August 7.
Serooskerk, J.C.J. Line, August 11.
Satterland, Jebsen's, August 19.
C/Biancamano, Lloyd Triestino, Aug. 21
Gneisenau, Melchers', August 25.

Gibraltar.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., August 6.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., August 12.
Naldera, P. & O., August 20.

Glasgow.
Menestheus, B. & S., August 10.
City of Singapore, Bank Line, Aug. 13.
Aeneas, B. & S., August 23.

Gothenburg
Taronga, Thoresen's, August 21.

Halifax
Chinese Prince, Furness', August 14.
Silveryew, Furness', August 28.

Hamburg.
Duisburg, Jebsen's, August 5.
Benledi, Loxley's, August 9.
Menestheus, B. & S., August 10.
Serooskerk, J.C.J. Line, August 11.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., August 12.
City of Singapore, Bank Line, Aug. 13
Bangalore, P. & O., August 13.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, August 19.
Donau, Melchers', August 19.
Taronga, Thoresen's, August 21.
Siam, East Asiatic & Co., August 22.
Gneisenau, Melchers', August 25.

Havre.
Bangalore, P. & O., August 13.
City of Singapore, Bank Line, Aug. 13
Titan, B. & S., August 22.

Hull.
Bangalore, P. & O., August 13.

Karachi.
Alipore, P. & O., August 29.

Leith
Benledi, Loxley's, August 9.

Liverpool.
Titan, B. & S., August 22.

London.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., August 6.
Benledi, Loxley's, August 9.
Menestheus, B. & S., August 10.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., August 12.
Bangalore, P. & O., August 13.
City of Singapore, Bank Line, Aug. 13.
Naldera, P. & O., August 20.
Aeneas, B. & S., August 23.

Malta.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., August 6.
Naldera, P. & O., August 20.

Marseilles
Rawalpindi, P. & O., August 6.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, August 7.
Menestheus, B. & S., August 10.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., August 12.
Bangalore, P. & O., August 13.
Pres. Doumer, Messageries', August 18.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, August 19.
Naldera, P. & O., August 20.
Aeneas, B. & S., August 23.

Mauritius
Tegelberg, J.C.J. Line, August 7.

Oran
Bangalore, P. & O., August 13.
Donau, Melchers', August 19.

Oslo.
Taronga, Thoresen's, August 21.

Penang.
Cremer, J.C.J. Line, August 4.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., August 6.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, August 7.
Anhui, B. & S., August 7.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, August 7.
Hosang, J.M. & Co., August 9.
Morioka Maru, N.Y.K., August 10.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., August 12.
Bangalore, P. & O., August 13.
Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), August 13.
Hai Lee, Thoresen's, August 18
Van Heutsz, J.C.J. Line, August 18.
Naldera, P. & O., August 20.
Taronga, Thoresen's, August 21.
Anshun, B. & S., August 21.
Gneisenau, Melchers', August 25.

Plymouth
Rawalpindi, P. & O., August 6.
Naldera, P. & O., August 20.

Port Said.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., August 6.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, August 7.
Menestheus, B. & S., August 10.
Serooskerk, J.C.J. Line, August 11.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., August 12.
Bangalore, P. & O., August 13.
Pres. Doumer, Messageries', August 18.
Donau, Melchers', August 19.
Naldera, P. & O., August 20.
Taronga, Thoresen's, August 21.
C/Biancamano, Lloyd Triestino, Aug. 21
Siam, East Asiatic & Co., August 22.
Aeneas, B. & S., August 23.
Gneisenau, Melchers', August 25.

Port Sudan.
Donau, Melchers', August 19.
Taronga, Thoresen's, August 21.

Port Swettenham
Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), August 13.

Rangoon.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, August 7.
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Optional cargo will not be landed here, unless notice has been given 48 hours prior to vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 6th Aug., 1938, will be subject to Rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 5th Aug., 1938, at 10 a.m., by our Surveyor Capt. Walter C. Weston.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All claims must reach us before the 6th Sept., 1938, or they will not be recognised.

No Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
JEBSEN & CO.,
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Hong Kong, 30th July, 1938.

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Hong Kong, 30th July, 1938

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Duisburg, Jebsen's, August 5.
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Menestheus, B. & S., August 10.
Serooskerk, J.C.J. Line, August 11.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., August 12.
Bangalore, P. & O., August 13.
City of Singapore, Bank Line, Aug. 13.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, August 19.
Donau, Melchers', August 19.
Taronga, Thoresen's, August 21.
Siam, East Asiatic & Co., August 22.
Aeneas, B. & S., August 23.
Gneisenau, Melchers', August 25.

Scandinavian Ports.
Taronga, Thoresen's, August 21.
Siam, East Asiatic & Co., August 22.

Via Canada

TO CANADA, UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

EMPRESS OF CANADA	Noon	Aug. 18
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA	7 A.M.	Sept. 2
EMPRESS OF JAPAN	Noon	Sept. 16
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LONDON, MARSEILLES. ANTWERP, R'DAM.

TERUKUNI MARU		19th Aug.
HAKUSAN MARU		27th Aug.

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila. Davao, Thursday Island, Brisbane.

KAMO MARU		27th Aug.

BOMBAY via Singapore & Colombo.

TANGO MARU		10th Aug.

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* MORIOKA MARU		13th Aug.

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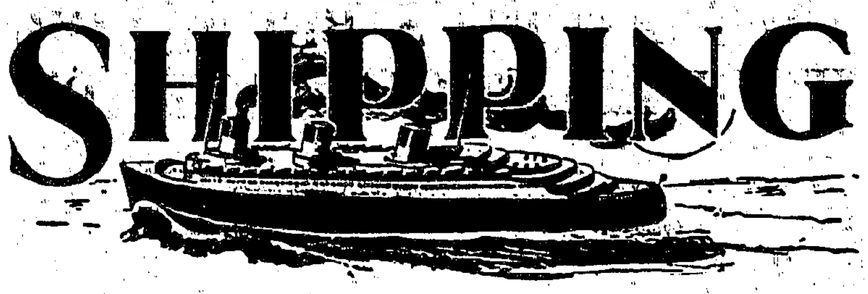

DUE TODAY

Zuiderkerk, Dutch, 5,265 registered tons, Captain F. Swart, from Antwerp via Manila, at Holt's Wharf, a.m.—J. C. J. Line (Tel. 28015)

Rawalpindi, British, 9,459 registered tons, Capt. J. Elliott, from Japan and Shanghai, at Kowloon Wharf, 7 a.m.—M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Kiangsu, British, 1,555 registered tons, Captain L. Evans, from Shanghai and Swatow, at buoy No. B?, a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Duisburg, German, 4,374 registered tons, Captain Becker, from Japan and Shanghai, at buoy No. A1 9 a.m.—Jebsen and Co. (Tel. 31205).

Hiram, Norwegian, 1,108 reg. tons, Captain T. Olsen, from Bangkok via Swatow, at buoy No. B?, a.m.—Thoresen and Co. (Tel. 30237).

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Chinese Prince, British, 5,288 registered tons, Captain W. Irvine, from Shanghai, at Kowloon Dock, p.m.—Furness (Far East) Ltd. (Tel. 23165).

Glenapp, British, 5,807 registered tons, Captain L. W. Kersley, from Shanghai, at buoy No. A?, a.m.—J. M. and Co. (Tel. 30331; Glen Line (Tel. 23696).

Szechuen, British 1,594 registered tons, Capt. E. Michelmore from Fakhoi, at buoy No. B?, a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

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Lyeemoon, British, 1,734 registered tons, Captain E. Holmes, from Swatow, at buoy No. B?, a.m.—Wo Fat Shing (Tel. 20005).

Pres. Adams, American, from New York and Japan, at Kowloon Wharf, a.m.—Dollar S.S. Line (Tel. 28171).

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ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Wing Wo, Portuguese, 495 reg. tons, Capt. I. d. de Lemos, from K. C. Wan, at Saikong Wharf.—Tai Fung & Co. (Tel. 20093).

Glenshiel, British, 5,769 registered tons, Capt. P. L. Sanders, from London and Singapore, at Holt's Wharf.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311); Glen Line (Tel. 23696).

Felix Roussel, French, 9,400 registered tons, Captain J. Georges, from Japan and Shanghai at Kowloon Wharf.—M. M. (Tel. 26651).

Hong Kheng, British, 3,975 reg. tons, Capt. D. R. Bannerman, from Foochow and Swatow, at buoy No. A5.—Ho Thong and Co. (Tel. 26127).

Hai Tan, British, 2,225 registered tons, Captain E. Walker, from Swatow, at Douglas Wharf.—Douglas & Co. (Tel. 28037).

Lee Sang, British, 972 reg. tons, Capt. C. M. Cater, from Tientsin, Chefoo and Shanghai at buoy No. B8.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Benevuachan, British, 3,750 registered tons, Capt. Riddle, from Manila, at Kowloon Wharf.—W. R. Loxley & Co. (Tel. 34165)

SAILING TOMORROW

Rawalpindi, British, 9,459 registered tons, Capt. J. Elliott, from Kowloon Wharf, for Singapore, Bombay, Marseilles and London, noon.—M. M. and Co. (Tel. 27721).

Tjibadak, Dutch, 4,801 registered tons, Captain J. van Rees, from buoy No. A7, for Amoy and Shanghai p.m.—J. C. J. Line (Tel. 28015).

Lyeemoon, British, 1,734 registered tons Captain E. Holmes, from buoy No. B?, for Saigon, 6 p.m.—Wo Fat Shing (Tel. 20005).

Wing Wo, Portuguese, 495 reg tons, Capt. I. d. de Lemos, from Saikong Wharf, for K. C. Wan, 4 p.m.—Tai Fung & Co. (Tel. 20093).

Glenshiel, British, 5,769 registered tons, Capt. P. L. Sanders, from Holt's Wharf, for Shanghai, p.m.—J. M. and Co. (Glen Line—Tel. 23696).

SAILING TODAY

Hai Tan, British, 2,225 registered tons, Captain E. Walker, from Douglas Wharf, for Swatow, Amoy and Foochow, 4 p.m.—Douglas and Co. (Tel. 28037).

Empress of Asia, British, 8,883 reg. tons, Captain G. Goold, from Kowloon Wharf, for Shanghai, Japan and Vancouver, 7 a.m.—C. P. S. (Tel. 20752).

Peter Maersk, Danish, 3,434 reg. tons, Capt. Schmidt, from Kowloon Wharf, for Manila, p.m.—Jebsen & Co. (Tel. 31205).

G.G. Paul Doumer, French, 734 reg, tons, Captain P. B. Morganti, from buoy No. B10, for Haiphong and Tourane, 11 a.m.—M. M. (Tel. 26651).

Nellore, British, 4,291 registered tons, Captain C. Stratford, from Kowloon Wharf, for Manila and Australia, 11 a.m.—M. M. and Co. (Tel. 27721).

Lee Sang, British, 972 registered tons, Capt. C. M. Cater, from buoy No. B8, for Haiphong, noon.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Tak Sang, British, 1,937 registered tons, Captain W. A. Balch, from buoy No. B2, for Swatow, Shanghai, Chefoo and Tientsin, 5 p.m.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Duisburg, German, 4,374 registered tons, Captain Becker, from buoy No. A1, for Manila, Genoa, Rotterdam and Hamburg, p.m.—Jebsen & Co. (Tel. 31205).

Hong Kheng, British, 3,975 reg. tons, Capt. D. R. Bannerman, from buoy No. A5, for Singapore, Penang and Rangoon, a.m.—Ho Thong & Co. (Tel. 26127).

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Tanda for Shanghai.

WEATHER REPORT

HONG KONG ROYAL OBSERVATORY

10 a.m., August 4.

Barometer (at sea level). 29.74 ins.
Temperature, 84 F.
Humidity, 85 per cent.
Wind direction South/West.
Wind force (Beaufort), 4.
Temperature: maximum yesterday, 84 F.
Temperature; minimum last night, 81 F.
Rainfall for 24 hours ending 10th today, 0.11 ins.
Total rainfall since January 1st, 36.85 ins.
Against an average of, 55.12 ins.
Sunset tonight, 7.03 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow, 5.56 a.m.
4 p.m., August 4.
Barometer (at sea level), 29.68 ins.
Temperature, 82 F
Humidity, 88 per cent.
Wind direction, W.S.W.
Wind force (Beaufort), 3.

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From 5 to 11 August 1938

		High Water		Low Water	
Days of Week	Date of Month	Hong Kong Standard Time.	Height	Hong Kong Standard Time	Height.
		h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
Fri.	5	04 25	6 0	12 12	2 5
		18 48	2 7	21 40	3 6
Sat.	6	05 23	6 2	13 09	2 1
		—	—	—	—
Sun.	7	06 20	6 3	—	—
		21 01	4 1	13 46	1 8
Mon.	8	07 06	6 6	00 14	3 7
		21 30	4 3	14 21	1 4
Tues.	9	07 30	6 8	01 09	3 6
		21 55	4 4	14 54	1 2
Wed.	10	08 23	7 0	01 55	3 3
		22 18	4 6	15 26	1 0
Thur.	11	08 56	7 1	02 36	3 2
		22 36	4 8	15 58	0 9

Maximum temperature, 86 F.
Minimum temperature, 78 F.
Rainfall, 0.07 inch.

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CORFU	15,000	3rd Sept.	Marseilles & London
†*BHUTAN	8,000	10th Sept.	Marseilles., Havre, London, Hull, H'bg., R'dm. & A'werp.
CHITRAL	17,000	17th Sept.	Marseilles & London
*BEHAR	8,000	24th Sept.	B'bay., Mars., Havre, London, Hull, H'burg., R'dam. & A'werp
CARTHAGE	14,5	1st Oct.	Marseilles & London.
†*SOUDAN	8,0	8th Oct.	B'bay., Marseilles, Havre, L'don., Hull, H'burg., R'dam. & A'werp
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*BHUTAN	6,000	8th Aug. 6 a.m.	Shanghai & Japan
*BEHAR	6,000	14th Aug.	do.
CHITRAL	14,500	18th Aug.	do.
TILAWA	10,000	18th Aug.	Japan
CARTHAGE	14,500	1st Sept.	Shanghai & Japan
*SOUDAN	6,000	1st Sept.	Shanghai & Japan
SANTHIA	8,000	1st Sept.	Japan
NANKIN	7,000	4th Sept.	Shanghai & Japan
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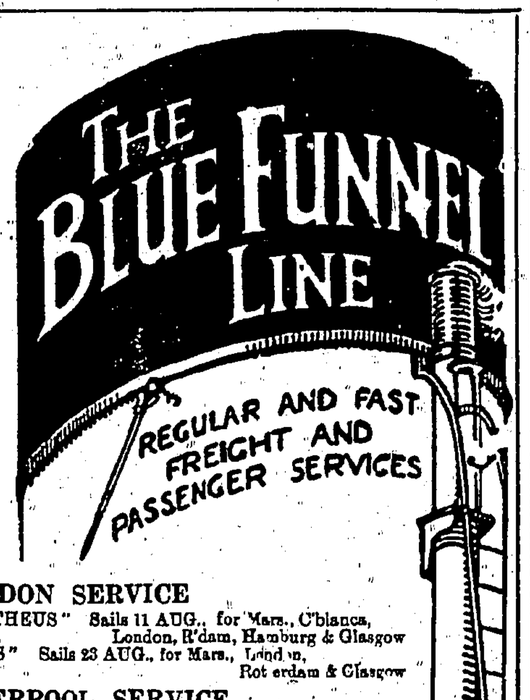

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NEW NATION IS BEING BORN WITH WEST CHINA AS CRADLE

Chengtu, August 4.

A new nation is being born with West China as its cradle, states a report to the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church through Mrs. Frank E. Baker from the West China Reference Committee, which is composed of American and Chinese women members of the Methodist Church in Szechwan.

Szechwan, the most important province in West China, the report states, has now become the political as well as the intellectual centre of China. With the seat of the National Government in Chungking, many national leaders have been drawn to the province. This has given the Szechwanese a new consciousness of their identity with the rest of China and of their responsibility for China's future.

Many universities and colleges have moved from the Japanese occupied areas into this section of Free China, bringing with them students, faculty and funds, and are carrying on in improvised quarters or occupying buildings jointly with the original institutions of Szechwan.

"This new day has not found the Church asleep," the report asserts. "As the downriver people pour into Chungking, Miss Mable Allen and her fellow-workers meet the boats and assist them in finding lodging. A hostel is being operated at the Institutional Church where many can be temporarily accommodated while finding quarters elsewhere.

"The same service is rendered in Chengtu where Christians meet the buses and render whatever services they can to strangers. . . . . One worker alone in our Church in Chengtu has called upon more than 100 families keeping in touch with them after they have located in the city.

"Our schools have also been crowded to overflowing to help care for downriver students. . . ."

The Committee accepts the new challenge to Christian workers having realised that "if we determine the hand that shall rock the cradle, we determine the destiny of the future nation."—(Central News).

SOVIET-JAPAN BORDER DEVELOPMENTS

(Continued from Page 1)

SOVIET SUDDENLY WITHDRAW

Tokyo, Aug. 4.

The Soviet troops have withdrawn from the contested Changkufeng region, according to a press bulletin from the Japanese Army in Korea which states that after having resumed the attacks early yesterday morning the Soviet forces suddenly ceased operations about 10 o'clock and began to retreat to a point about one kilometre from the Japanese lines.

The Russians are also declared to have withdrawn from the positions which had been hastily constructed on the hill, two kilometres southeast of Changkufeng.—(Transocean).

KOREA ALARM

London, Aug. 4.

The Governor of Korea has ordered the adoption of special air precaution measures throughout the northern part of the peninsula. According to one account, the bulk of inhabitants of Soeul has already left the Korean capital.—(Transocean).

NEITHER WANTS WAR

London, Aug. 4.

The Financial News political correspondent says that neither Russia nor Japan are believed to be willing to enter into a major war, and in the absence of any disturbing factor from the outside an early and peaceful settlement to the dispute is awaited with confidence.

The outbreak of such a violent incident at present is considered rather puzzling in London. Russian initiative in the Far East is not reasonable, in view of the extreme delicacy of the situation in Central Europe. At the same time, the unprovoked Japanese attack on the hill, which unquestionably is in Russian territory, was hardly expected when Japan already has its hands more than full with the Chinese war.

LOCAL INDEPENDENCE

The likeliest explanation that the aggression is another instance of the independence of Tokyo's authority that is enjoyed by local units of the Japanese army.

The Daily Herald gives prominence to an article by its diplomatic correspondent, declaring that he has learned from authoritative sources that the Soviet still thinks it possible to localise the trouble in Changkufeng which it believes is due almost entirely to the local Japanese military acting on its own initiative to the embarassment of the Tokyo Government.—(Reuter).

CALM IN LONDON

The calm in Russian and Japanese official circles in London with regard to the Russo-Japanese frontier fighting is reflected in the comments of the newspaper diplomatic correspondents, as well as the departure of Mr. Neville Chamberlain yesterday for a fishing holiday in Scotland after his long talks with Lord Halifax.

The Times' diplomatic correspondent says that it seems clear the disputed hill is Russian, but the exact circumstances of the fighting are still obscure. The Soviet attitude appears to be remarkably firm, but from both sides come reports of a desire to keep the conflict local and to end it quickly.

It is all a question of whether the rival commanders on the spot can keep a like sense of proportion.

JAPANESE TO BLAME

The writer adds that experts in London seem to believe that the Japanese are mainly to blame in attacking the hill, and there is some surprise at the number of Japanese troops who are at hand, either accidentally or conveniently.

The News-Chronicle says that despite the very serious tone of the reports from Tokyo and from Moscow, the impression still prevails in official circles in London that any grave extension of the dispute is improbable.

Korean Villages Shelled

Tokyo, Aug. 4.

It is officially stated that Soviet artillery, operating from points east of the Tumen River, indiscriminately shelled Kozo and Sozan, villages in North Korea from yesterday at nightfall until 1 a.m. today.—(Reuter).

NOT A DIVERSION

Neither the Soviet nor Japan is believed to desire an open conflict at this stage. On the evidence available the view held in London is that the fighting hitherto has taken place on territory that is clearly regarded as Russian, and this disposes of the theory that the Soviet is deliberately staging a diversion in the interests of the sorely-pressed Chinese forces.

DELIBERATE

The Daily Express' political correspondent says that the theory that the Russo-Japanese conflict has been stage-managed by a local Japanese commander to justify panic demands for reinforcements to meet the Russian "danger" is finding credence among London diplomats, and it is believed he may have provoked the incidents to justify his claim.

The correspondent understands that there are about 400,000 Russian troops and 300,000 Japanese troops already in the trouble area. He adds that information received in London shows that the Soviet troops have been on the defensive and have not attacked the Japanese.—(Reuter).

CHINESE ENTHUSIASTIC

Tientsin, August 4.

The populace in North China are enthusiastic over the reports of fresh armed clashes between Soviet and Japanese troops at the Soviet-Manchukuo border.

Japanese troops have been pouring out to Shanhaikwan by the Peiping-Liaoning Railway during the past few days. All the rolling stocks on this line are reserved for troop transportations and troop trains are running day and night.

News concerning the Soviet-Japanese clashes are strictly censored and only favourable reports on the Japanese side are permitted to be published.—(International).

WORKERS READY

Moscow, August 4.

Forty thousand workers in the Stalin automobile factory at Moscow yesterday passed a resolution calling on the Government to "punish the provocations of the Japanese militarists."

They announced their readiness to "take up arms mercilessly against enemy in their territory."

Units of the Red Navy, serving with the Amur River flotilla, who are due to be demobilised in the autumn, have indicated their willingness to continue with the colours.

Resolutions supporting the Government in any action it may take against the Japanese have been received from the Collective Farmers and Tractor Brigades and Don Cossacks.—(Reuter).

Italy Seeking To Improve War Machine

DUCE CONFERS WITH GENERAL STAFFS

Rome, August 4.

Meetings between the Chiefs of the General Staffs of the Italian Army and Air Force, presided over by Il Duce and attended also by the Finance Minister, were held recently, it was officially revealed last night.

It is understood that apart from new equipment the main purposes of the meetings, from which the Navy was excluded, was financial co-ordination of the new armament programme.

No details of the new programme are given in the official communique which merely states that the object is to increase the efficiency of the Italian armed forces.

The new measures are apparently aimed at strengthening Italy's power of attack, and some light is thrown on the subject by editorial comments in the Tribuna which state:

"War with rapid decision has for some time been the principal scheme of the Italian military strategists and war technicians. The intensive production of new artillery and portable arms has permitted a notable strengthening of gun power.

"Measures under consideration regarding infantry divisions will allow big units greater freedom of movement without diminishing their shock capacity."—(Reuter).

PAYMENT OF COMPENSATION BY MEXICO

Note Handed To United States

Mexico City, Aug. 4.

The Mexican Government's note in reply to the United States' representations on expropriation of the properties of American oil interests, says that Mexico admits the obligation to make adequate compensations but insists, according to international law, that the time and manner of payment shall be determined by Mexican laws.

The note emphasises that there is a preponderate number of Mexicans affected by the agrarian expropriations and preferential treatment of a limited number of foreigners would be unjustified.

The arbitration suggested by Washington does not come under the Washington Treaty which deals with matters of irreconcilable differences between the nations.

The Mexican Government's note suggests that American and Mexican representatives be appointed to fix, within a reasonable limit, the value of the properties taken and the manner of payment equitable for nationals and foreigners.—(Reuter).

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Manila	Zuiderkerk	5th Aug.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kalgan	5th Aug.
Pakhoi	Szechuen	6th Aug.
Straits	Perseus	6th Aug.
Shanghai, Foochow and Amoy	Anking	6th Aug
Straits and Hoihow	Muinam	6th Aug.
Shanghai and Swatow	Soochow	6th Aug.
Haiphong, Pakhoi and Hoihow	Kiungchow	6th Aug.
Shanghai	Chinese Prince	6th Aug.
Air Mail by "Pan-American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 29th July.	**Pan-American Airways Plane**	**7th Aug.**
Shanghai	Glenapp	7th Aug.
Straits	Bhutan	7th Aug.
Haiphong	Canton	7th Aug.
Tientsin and Swatow	Yochow	7th Aug.
U.S.A., Honolulu and Japan—(San Francisco date, 12th July)	Pres. Adams	8th Aug.
Japan	Tango Maru	8th Aug.
Calcutta and Straits	Suisang	8th Aug.
Australia and Manila	Changte	9th Aug.
Straits	Van Heutsz	9th Aug.
Shanghai	Menestheus	9th Aug.
Java and Manila	Tjinegara	9th Aug.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 4th August.	**Imperial Airways Plane**	**10th Aug.**
Japan	Morioka Maru	10th Aug.
Straits and Manila	Gneisenau	10th Aug.
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Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand Via Brisbane—due Brisbane 22nd August		G.P.O. & K.P.O.
	Nellore	Reg. 8.45 AM
		rd. 9.30 AM
Haiphong	Leesang	10.00 AM
Kongmoon	On Lee	10.00 AM
Shanghai	Glenshiel	10.30 AM
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Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haitan	3.00 PM
Swatow, Shanghai and Tientsin	Taksang	3.30 PM
Air Mail for Sian, Lanchow, Changsha and Chengtu etc., (via Hankow) by the "Eurasia Airways Service" (To further points by surface transport as Services permit).	Eurasia Plane	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 4.30 PM Ord. 5.00 PM
SATURDAY		**Saturday, 6th**
Samshui and Wuchow	Kongming	8.15 AM
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Airways Direct Service" due Amsterdam, 16th August.		G.P.O. & K.P.O.
Kongmoon	Rawalpindi.	Re 9.30 AM
Straits, Sandakan, Ceylon, India, East & South Africa, Aden, Egypt Malta, and Europe via Marseilles —due Marseilles, 2nd September.	Fook On	Ord. 10.00 AM 10.00 AM
Amoy and *Shanghai	Rawalpindi	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Par. 5th 5.00 PM Reg. 6th 9.45 AM Ord. 6th 10.30 AM 4.00 PM
Airmail for "France Orient Airways Service"—due Marseilles, 21st August.	Tjibadak	
Amoy	Lyeemoon	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 4.00 PM Ord. 4.30 PM 5.00 PM
Manila, *Saigon, Bangkok, *Straits, Batavia, Mauritius, Reunion, Madagascar, L. Marques and *S. Africa	Anhui	
Saigon	Tegelberg	5.00 PM
Shanghai and Japan	Lyeemoon	5.00 PM
	Bhutan	5.00 PM
Airmail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, and U.S.A. by the "Pan-American Airways Direct Service" —due San Francisco, 14th August	Pan-American Airways Plane	K.P.O. Reg. 6th 5.00 PM Ord. 7th 9.00 AM G.P.O. Reg. 6th 5.00 PM Ord. 7th 9.00 AM
SUNDAY		**Sunday, 7th**
Batavia	Bencruachan	9.00 AM
Swatow, Foochow and Tientsin	Hoihow	9.00 AM
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 14th August.	Imperial Airways Plane	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 6th 5.00 PM Ord. 7th Noon
Airmail for Malaya and Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Darwin, 11th Aug.	Imperial Airways Plane	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 6th 5.00 PM Ord. 7th Noon
MONDAY		**Monday, 8th**
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kiangsu	10.00 AM
Kongmoon	Tai Lee	11.00 AM
Shanghai	Szechuen	12.30 PM
Manila	Pres. Adams	5.00 PM
TUESDAY		**Tuesday, 9th**
Dairen and *Canada—due Victoria B.C. 15th September	Tyndareus	9.30 AM
Straits and Calcutta	Hosang	Parcels 11.00 AM
Swatow and Shanghai	Kiungchow	Ord. Noon 4.30 PM

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